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Power & McGeoy, merchant tailors, 233 Second street.
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Southwestern Freight and Cotton Press Company, 263 Madison street.
Stoddard & Co, A. M., auctioneers, 330 Second street.
Scruggs, P. T. and E. R., attorneys at law, 35 Union street
St. Louis Mutual Life Insurance Company, McMahon & Otis, agents; office, 42 Madison street.
Smith & Leech, wholesale liquor dealers, 342 Second street.
Semmes & Co., B. J., importers and dealers in liquors, 294 Second street.
Swanwick & Co., W. T., lumber dealers, foot of Adams street.
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Telegraph Office, 27 South Court street.
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United States Insurance Company, 279 Main street.
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Vinson & Donohue, steamboat agents, 234 Front street, up stairs.
Varieties Theater, corner Washington and Main streets.
Ward & Co, R. D., seed dealers, 231 Main street.
Walt & Co, M., steamboat agents, 270 Front street.
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Yerger & Sale, attorneys at law, Library Building, Third street, near Jefferson.
Zweifel, Dom, lager beer depot, 34½ Adams street.

THE DAILY AVALANCHE.

WASHINGTON.

Progress of the National Police Court and Animus of the Jacobins.

Horace Maynard Champion Long-Ugly of the House.

The Memphis "K. K.'s" a God-send to all the "D. D.'s."

[Special Correspondence Memphis Avalanche.]

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 21, 1868.

To morrow, at eleven o'clock, the last act in the drama of impeachment will be entered upon, and the entire day will be consumed, it is expected, in hearing Mr. Boutwell's argument for the prosecution. The argument is in print, and will probably appear to-morrow in the papers.

The Managers do not evince the same anxiety now to gallop through the remainder of the trial that has characterized their proceedings since the defense opened their case. Thus, Mr. Wilson was allowed to consume several hours of precious time on Saturday in an argument but slightly bearing upon the subject before the Court, and intended principally to connect his name with the affair. Hitherto he has been compelled by the impertinent and obtrusive Butler to take a "back seat," and has had to content himself with an occasional reference to the Hardy case; but on Saturday he burst out into a set speech, in a manner that convinced his hearers that he was determined to have his say, if it did cost the lives of ten carpet-baggers and as many negroes—that being the rate at which Mr. Butler would have the Court and country believe they are being murdered by "rebels" at the South.

Poor Logan, whom you will recollect as vainly endeavoring, in years gone by, to get himself up on the Douglas model, and who did succeed in making a sort of pocket edition—a miniature Douglas—of himself, smarting under a sense of the failure he made at the opening of the trial, has been exhausting his weak brain in the effort to produce something that might take the place of, or offset, the stump speech referred to. He has gotten up a "weighty argument," which he hoped to get in, but the Senate, having heard him once, refused to relax its rules to give him another chance. He has had his "argument" printed, hoping to get it in in that way. But it is more than likely, from present indications, that he will be disappointed even in this. The practice of the House of Representatives, allowing members to print the speeches they have not time or patience to listen to, may be all very well, in view of the fact that they are generally made for buncombe; but it would be a new feature in judicial proceedings. And yet, when we reflect upon it, it does not appear so incongruous after all. Isn't the whole affair a political maneuver?

Of the arguments of the counsel for the President, it can only be said that they will be as concise as the importance of the case will admit of—due regard will be had to their legal standing. That they will be able, may be assumed from the learning of the counsel as evinced in the management of this case, and their previous reputation.

Bingham, who closes the case, has already one hundred pages of foolscap written, and is still writing.

Nothing definite can be stated at this time in regard to the final vote. There are those, however, who are confident of the President's acquittal, with, perhaps, two votes to spare. But this opinion is doubtless predicated upon the fact that men like Fessenden, Trumbull, Sherman, and some others who might be named, who *have* reputations to risk, cannot be believed capable of so great a wrong, merely because the party demands it. The Radicals, on the other hand, express themselves as certain of conviction by a strict party vote, and the President is prepared for such a result. Well, let us possess our souls in patience for a few days longer, and we shall know all about it.

The Senate was not in session to-day. In the House a resolution was introduced by Mr. Robinson, of New York, which brought forty Radical members to their feet all at once. It rescinded the impeachment articles and recalled the Managers from the bar of the Senate. Of course it had not the ghost of a chance, though admitted as a "privileged question" under the ruling of the Speaker. It failed by the usual party vote.

Quite an animated discussion sprang up on the bill of Mr. Jenckes of Rhode Island, extending the operation of the bankrupt law for one year from the 1st of June. It was amended so as to limit it to the 1st of January, and in this shape it passed the House by a vote of 75 to 44.

It is amusing at times to listen to the running comments made upon the appearance, etc., of the different members of the House, by visitors in the galleries. This morning one of the members from our good State passed in review. Two or three gentlemen sitting near me, who had not the fear of Radical destruction before their eyes, canvassed the Hon. Horace Maynard's appearance and calibre, and they unanimously agreed that he was "the meanest looking man in the House," which was anything but complimentary, considering the fact that Conover, Ashley, Thad. Stevens, Butler and others are there, whose approach causes one to put his hand, instinctively, on his pocket-book.

For a year past there has been an acrimonious discussion going on through the press of the country, in regard to the relative merits of the Chickering and Steinway pianos, and especially as to the decision of the committee at the Paris Exposition. This war must now cease. The diplomas, medals, etc., have all arrived from Paris, accompanied by two cases in which to exhibit the medals, and a zigzag fence has been built around the old hall of the House on which the first mentioned are to be displayed. By these it appears that a gold medal and diploma were granted to each, but the grand cross of the Legion of Honor was also awarded to Chickering & Sons, by the Emperor, and they were constituted "Chevaliers of the Legion of Honor" by the same authority. But three others appear to have received this high distinction, two of them for agricultural implements. The diplomas are quite numerous, and will, with the panoramic views of the Exposition, fill the worm fence built around the hall for them to hang on.

There has been much exultation in Radical circles here on the pretended authoritative disclosures made in your city in regard to the Ku-Klux. They have found it necessary to keep up the excitement in and out of Congress, to kill so many people, *on paper*, within the last two or three years, that the people had began to tire of the slaughter, and something new was needed, and hence the publication of a full account of the affair yesterday in a paper edited by the Secretary of the United States Senate, was a sort of God-send. The revelations were indeed terrifying, as given by this Radical official, and though he has at hand the means of correcting the statement, it will never be done. A lie well stuck to is as good as the truth to these fellows, whose interest it is to believe it. It is only by misrepresenting the state of feeling in that unhappy section that they can hope to excuse their despotic rule there, and we must expect all sorts of lies to be told, yes, and believed by many, for some time to come. But the skies are brightening, and there will come a day when justice, long deferred, will be done. God speed the happy day. X.

LETTER FROM ARKANSAS.

Graphic Description of Affairs About Clarendon, by a New Correspondent.

[Special Correspondence of the Avalanche.]

CLARENDON, ARK., April 21, 1868.

COLONEL M. C. GALLAWAY: Deeming it probable that your readers would like to hear a voice from our section of this down-trodden, yet not God-forsaken State, I propose giving your most excellent paper a few items as to our prospects and as to what we are doing for the retrievement of lost fortunes—I might say stolen fortunes.

I write from Clarendon, our county seat—a place which, at the breaking out of the war, was not slow to give evidence to the world of the stand that she was to take in the great struggle for independence, and which was verified by the alacrity with which her sons enlisted in the most glorious cause, and for which, when it was her misfortune to fall into the hands of an unrelenting and sacrilegious foe, she was robbed and devastated to an extent that history does not relate its equal, even among barbarians. So effectually was the work done, and so equal were the perpetrators of the deed to the task, that scarce a vestige of the once beautiful town remained when their work of destruction had been finished. Yet, with all these misfortunes staring them in the face, our people were not given to lethargy; but, determined to be obedient to the powers that be, they have gone to work with a vim that would astonish a looker-on.

Again we have quite a respectable little town, built upon the site of the old one, and it is soon destined to take an active part in supplying a vast and wealthy rural district with merchandise necessary to the carrying on of an extensive farming interest. Many buildings are now going up, regardless of the stringency in financial affairs, and the town is soon expected to present quite as respectable an appearance as it did previous to the war. Our business houses are all doing well, with room and a trade for many more. We have an excellent hotel, conducted by a most pleasant and courteous gentleman, with genteel servants, who keep everything as "neat as a pin," while the table is supplied with everything the market affords, which speaks well for a town and its inhabitants.

Men of capital are needed very much here, as this is a broad field for them to operate in. There would be no better investment for a man of money than to come to this point and erect a number of buildings for rent, which undoubtedly would rent for at least one-third their original cost. Who would want a greater profit?

After we leave town we find, on either side, broad fields of unsurpassable lands undergoing cultivation, and the farming prospect putting on all its good looks for a large crop of corn and cotton, for which we have indications of a most propitious season. The farmers have not been idle during the past winter. They have fenced and cleared new grounds, built stock-houses, changed their farms from the old style used for slave laborers to one more suited to hired labor, and are working upon an entirely new system, which is highly favorable of better results than any year since the war terminated, and one that is prospective of regeneration from the misfortune that attended our late unfortunate struggle.

Many farmers have erected new and commodious dwelling houses, such as do honor to the country and the perseverance of the people. Duncan township has built a most splendid church, some 63 by 44 feet, with vestibule and all the modern improvements in church building, also with large and commodious Masonic hall overhead. As a whole I suppose it is the finest country church in the State, and does great credit to the pastor, Rev. Mr. Brown, of the Presbyterian Church, who had the building management. I like to have neglected to mention that the county has latcly built a very respectable jail in Clarendon, and that the citizens of that place are contracting for the building of quite a handsome Methodist Church, which show a spirit of improvement not to be looked for in these times of stringency.

Upon a whole, the people have simply gone to work, with an avowed purpose to rebuild the country, and make it what it once was, provided they are not defeated by the machinations of the Radical oppressors of the land, who, it seems, are using every effort to reduce the country to a serfdom; yet we all have an abiding confidence in the power of an all-wise Providence to defeat their endeavors.

Hoping this may prove interesting to at least a portion of your readers, and wishing for the success of your paper, that is always such a welcome visitor to our community, and for whose triumph in the "grand-mother Hunter" case, many a prayer has gone up, I remain yours, truly,

"HARROLD."

WASHINGTON.

Arguments in the Impeachment Trial.

Nelson Makes a Favorable Impression.

[Special Telegraphic Correspondence of the Louisville Courier.]

WASHINGTON, April 23.

After Boutwell concluded his harangue Julian spoke in behalf of the President. He lacks the eloquence of Curtis, but his plain, earnest and straightforward mode of dealing with the question at issue made a favorable impression. Groesbeck follows to-morrow.

It is not settled yet whether Stanbery will file his argument or deliver it. He is preparing it, although still evidently indisposed.

Logan having submitted his piece is now working through his friends for his reward, being a no less place than the Treasury Department. Senator Chandler also aspires to the same position.

Radicals, in anticipation of the good time coming, are apportioning the principal offices, especially the paying ones, as though they were already in possession. Not even popular sentiment, as expressed in the Democratic triumph at Chicago, represses their insolence.

But there are some discreet men in that party who foresee its inevitable downfall in the outrageous manner of removing Johnson. They believe, and correctly, this will only intensify his opposition and hatred, and that he will make bitter political crusades against them and arouse the indignation of the whole country, but particularly the South, to which he is endeared by his efforts to save that people from the horrors of negro rule. Andrew Johnson is a powerful man on the stump, and they may well fear him.

General Schofield is still here in conference with Grant. Virginia Conservatives are organizing to defeat the Constitution, but are apprehensive of military interference. Schofield means well, but is timid, and stands in awe of Grant, who is ready to execute the decrees of his political keepers.

An Arkansas carpet-bag representative wanted to get in the Senate to-day, but the doorkeeper told him no one was admitted to the floor of the Senate but Senators and members of the House. Arkansas traveled.

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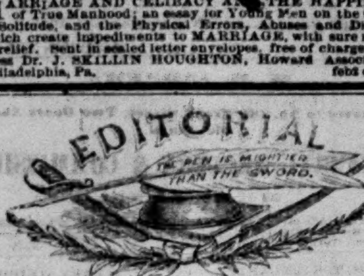

SUNDAY, : : : : APRIL 26, 1868

IF it were not for the deviltry of Radicalism, the United States would go into a state of somnambulism. We are yearning this morning for a theme about which to write. The incessant mental and physical labor demanded to re-produce every morning a sheet that perishes ere nightfall, can never be properly appreciated by those who view the circle of varied operations from without. It is symbolized in classical story by the stone of Sysipus, and the wheel of Ixiom, while we fear the fable of Tantalus might be superadded to illustrate the fortunes of many of our brethren of the quill in the United States, for too often the promised cup of enjoyment never comes near enough to be tasted. The picture has its reverse, however. With all its drawbacks, there is much that is cheering in an editor's life, and he is a poor philosopher, as well as editor, who cannot return every morning to his labors, with renewed energy and determination. It is hard to write, however, when an editor has nothing to write about; but imperative custom compells him to write every day, even if he has to write *something* about *nothing*. Besides, an editor must not only write when he has no theme, but he must write whether he feels like it or not. The glorious faculty of thought has to be exercised by him every day. Sometimes it comes unbidden—at others, it can't be ruled into activity. If the glorious instrument of thought and feeling is not in tune it is vain to call on it to make music. But what an unspeakable luxury it is for an editor to write when he has a theme, and when he can write himself—when nature is his interpreter, and the gathering thoughts muster strong enough to break the bounds, and his diction flows free as the limpid stream. Lord BYRON longed for a "hero," and found one in a rake. We long not for a hero, but for some new idea or subject, out of which to manufacture what is technically known as a leader. A very eloquent essay was once written on that apparently meaningless subject, "Nothing." The world was made out of nothing, and we fear our want, when supplied, will be found to be of the same material. How delightful it would be, if some inventive genius could follow up DAN MARBLE's celebrated machine, which took in a whole sheep, wool and all, at one end, sent it out at the other in a few minutes, transformed into chops, all hot, roast mutton, and a full suit of woollen clothes. A machine to grind out leaders! How pleasant, how easy, and how economical! Touch this stop, and here you have the continent of Europe paragraphed. Touch this other, and MACAULAY shrinks into nothingness, beside this brilliant disquisition on the commercial effects of the opera ballet. The man who would invent such a piece of machinery would be enabled to retire immediately on a handsome competence, and live in glory, clover and the "rhuburbs of the city"—as Dame PARTINGTON has it—for the rest of his life. We would give a handsome sum for such a piece of machinery, as we are unable to find a subject. But it seems, in a land as beautiful as the sunny South, that an editor should have no difficulty in finding a theme. If the genial and pious philosophy of SHAKSPEARE's exiled duke, wandering an outcast in the chill forest, could find sweetness in adversity, friendly counsellors in the icy fag and churlish chiding of the Winter's wind,

> "—— tongues in trees, books in brooks,
> Sermons in stones, good in everything,"

surely an editor may find a theme when he looks around and sees so much to inspire his pen. Where is the sun with all his gorgeous blazonry—the moon and the stars that blossom in the sky—the green earth, covered with flowers—the trees laden with rich blossoms—the blue sky, the bright waters? No theme? Where is the mighty ocean, when the storm is upon it—the huge mountain, and the thunder and the lightnings? No theme! Where is BARBOUR LEWIS? Why, an editor can write as much about him as VIRGIL A. STEWART wrote about JOHN A. MURRELL, and it would then require an additional volume to portray his rascality. No theme! Why, the idea is contemptible. When the contemptuous HUNTER is running from the Ku-Klux, like a stray dog, refusing to hold court, while drawing his pay; keeping innocent men in jail at the expense of the county, in order to propitiate party purposes. No theme! Where is the delectable GRIFFIN, the carpet-bag scalawag, who hath not the first bowel of compassion; the amiable, the kind-hearted, magnanimous Christian gentleman, who would send prisoners without a crime to jail, as the butcher rushes his lambs to the slaughter pen. It is true any subject he might inspire would be a low theme, for he is so mean the devil wouldn't have him, and so low and groveling that the highest position wouldn't purchase him respect. No them! Where is WICKERSNAPPER, sometimes called WICKERSHAM?—and truly he is a *sham* in decency, honesty and integrity. He looks like a hound, possesses all the instincts of the ass, and can bark or bray as the occasion requires. WICKERSNAPPER's face ought to be in the rogue's gallery, his soul with the devil, and his black heart rotting in its own corruption. If this infamous scoundrel could prevent it he would not permit himself to be buried for fear his loathsome carcass would enrich Southern soil. But the remains of WICKERSNAPPER will never be disturbed. The worms would sicken and die in a substance so foul—and the hyena, fond as it is of dead bodies, would revolt at meat so putrid. A flower would wither and droop over his grave as soon as if cast into a fiery furnace. A peculiar fungi, mushroom or toad stool might spring up, over his lonely and detested grave, but, like the upas tree, they would distill disease, poison and death. But we begin to pity poor WICKERSNAPPER. While trying to rob the Southern people of their liberties, he has been endeavoring to steal his uncle's property. But he has been removed as Administrator, and, we are rejoiced to say, gets none of the property of the noble man whose name he disgraces, and consequently is poor, and his carpet-bag as empty as any other scalawag now battening upon the liberties of the taxpaying people. How fickle is fortune! How uncertain are all earthly expectations! The mutability of human grandeur should call forth all of WICKERSNAPPER's philosophy. Hopeful boy! modest youth! put on another coat of brass; pay up that fifteen hundred dollars; recognize the white man as the equal of the negro, and you will yet be able to stuff your dilapidated carpet-bag with all sorts of haberdashery. No theme! Why, there is a prolific theme in the noble Federal soldier who fought and conquered the South, but who now proposes to forget the past, and to give our people equality and justice. There is a theme in the conduct of the taxtitle thieves who have robbed our people of their hard earnings. There is a theme in the plundering vagabonds who fill nearly all the offices in this county, and we intend for the future to take for our theme—

> "A plundering race, still eager to invade;
> On *spoil* they live, and make of theft a trade."

ON ACCOUNT of the inclemency of the weather, the commemoration services in memory of the Confederate dead, proposed yesterday, were deferred until to-morrow. Thousands of noble women and brave men were ready for the sad occasion; but, as misfortune and disappointment befell the cause so dear to the living and the dead, so rain and dark clouds obscured the sun yesterday, seeming as if heaven frowned upon our warriors, even in their graves—and consequently the proposed ceremonies were deferred until tomorrow, commencing precisely at ten o'clock, when the living will hold communion with the dead. The AVALANCHE is called bitter and proscriptive. We may be earnest, ardent and intense in any cause we espouse. But we trust we are at the same time just. An honest foe is generally the first to recognise magnanimity in an enemy, and it affords us pleasure to find the following article in the *Bulletin* yesterday morning:

> To-day has been set apart by our Confederate friends for the observance of their peculiar respect for *their* DEAD. To-day mothers, wives and sisters, who have those who were most dear to them sleeping in Elmwood Cemetary, will go there to put flowers upon there last resting places, and thus testify their undying affection for the brave victims of the late unhappy civil war. We may, possibly, surprise some of our Republican brethren, by saying that we wish these kind hearted women a bright and beautiful day for their affectionate solemnity. We are sick at heart with all this bitterness, and long sincerely for the return of that social and private reunion, of mutual respect, toleration and good will of neighbor towards neighbor, without which no permanent *political* reunion is possible. We most cordially endorse the following manly and magnanimous sentiments of the Springfield (Massachusetts) *Republican:*
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> "THE REBEL DEAD.
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> "We utterly fail to sympathize with the sentiments of those who would forbid the rebel dead to be buried side by side with our own. When the great debt is paid, surely it cancels all our petty claims. When a man gives up life bravely in the front of battle, no matter in how bad a cause, if not admiration, at least forgiveness and pity are the natural tribute of all generous hearts. These remarks are suggested, or rather compelled, by observing that Rush C. Hawkins, Colonel of one of those regiments which made the name of Zouave detestable during the war, took occasion, in his speech at the Union League rooms at New York, Thursday evening, to attack a member of the Club who had expressed himself in favor of a common burial of the Union and the rebel dead. Such a man misrepresents, in every sense, the feeling of the grand army.
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> "No Northern father, lamenting his son, need feel wronged to know that a darling of a Virginian home lies by his side; and if the two soldiers, bravely as they contended in life, should become conscious of that neighborhood, we have no fear that their long rest would be disturbed. Rather would they clasp their warring hands, put face to face, and sleep like brothers reconciled. Shame upon such unmanly bitterness! These brave men fought honestly and earnestly in a bad cause, enduring, in many cases privations of which our own troops knew but little. They marched barefoot, when our boys were well shod. They went hungry when ours were well filled. They disputed every inch of ground with desperate valor, and yielded only to destiny at last. They proved themselves in life foemen worthy of our steel, and their mouldering bones may well rest in peace by the side of our bravest and dearest.
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> "Their differences with us were all settled when they fell together with ours on the field of battle. 'All that is left of them now' is only human. Vengeance need not follow them into the grave. Pity may weep over them. Patriotism may cover their failings, remembering that they were children of one mother, and that their valor sprang out of the same heroic stock. Beauty may strew flowers upon the green mounds that hide such courage and high resolve."
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> These are the sentiments of a man with an immortal *soul* in him. Our Confederate friends today are not seeking to share in the splendid cemeteries prepared by the gratitude of the nation for the brave soldiers who successfully upheld the unity of the Government. They only undertake to beautify the last homes of their loved ones with the bright floral gifts of kindly nature. Embittered indeed, and marble as insatiate revenge, must be the heart of him who would deny them this, or not, on the contrary, feel a thrill of sympathy with them in these pious services. Not so felt and acted the war-worn veterans who assisted in overwhelming the rebels the first year after the surrender at Atlanta, Georgia, where, we believe, the decoration with flowers of the graves of the Confederate dead was first inaugurated. The soldiers of the garrison there, touched by the devotion of the Southern ladies, not only did not look scowlingly upon them, but, softened with the remembrance of their own dead comrades, they, too, gathered flowers and strewed them, in their own rough but kindly way, upon the graves of the Union dead, and so was seen the real restoration of the Union through that "touch of nature which makes us all of kin."
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> The solemnity of the ceremonies at Elmwood to-day should lift them high above the domain of politics and partizan strife, that the offerings in name and reality may be true heart tributes to the memory of those who were loved and lost.

We, too, exclaim that the comments of the Springfield *Republican* and those of the *Bulletin* "are the sentiments" of men "with an immortal soul in them." It is a time-honored, a hallowed and beautiful custom among all nations, to honor the memory of the virtuous and to perpetuate the remembrance of the noble dead; not always of the cause in which they fell, but the heroism they displayed in defense of the principles which they believed to be right, and for which they gave their lives. The South must be her own historian. She must gather up the jewels that have been surged up by the heaving waters of the late revolution, and transmit, in all their fullness, their heroic achievements to coming ages. The dead soldier of the rebel army is not here to rescue his name from aspersion; but so long as we can raise an arm or wield a pen, we will defend his memory. In the eloquent language of Gov. WISE, "we feel bound, at every hazard, to declare that those men were no rebels, and no traitors. Let whoever will swear that they were rebels and traitors, I will contradict the oath, and appeal to GOD on the Holy of Holies, as high as Heaven's throne, and swear that they were pure patriots, loyal citizens, well tried and true soldiers, brave, honest, devoted men, who proved their faith in their principles by the deaths which canonized them immortal heroes and martyrs! No one shall inscribe the epitaphs of rebellion and treason upon the tombs of our dead without my burning protest being uttered against the foul and false profanation. And if any wounds of the living are labelled with rebellion and infamy I would tear away the infamy, though the wounds should bleed unto death. If I suffer their names to be dishonored, and their glory to be tarnished, and don't gainsay the reproach, may my tongue cleave to the roof of my mouth; and if I suffer their orphans to be outcasts for the want of sympathy, warmly outspoken and more warmly felt, may my right hand forget its cunning." The South has suffered enough without adding the loss of honor. Our living heroes and dead soldiers were not a race of traitors. We appeal to the generosity of a powerful people, who trampled down our legions, not to require of us the humiliating confession that our noble martyrs were traitors. We cannot place such a brand of infamy upon their loved names. We can change our constitutions, we can declare slavery abolished, we can annul the ordinance of secession, we can submit to military rule without a murmur, we can see the negro enfranchised, and the tax-paying white man disfranchised—we can do all these things; but the damning admission that our dead heroes were traitors can never be exacted. The heroic deeds of the noble men of the South will be renowned in history, long after all who are engaged in the recent struggle shall have passed from the scene of action. Our people are justly proud of their heroes, and will cherish their memory, and hold up their deeds of patriotism and valor to all future generations as examples for imitation and stimulants to action in the hour of need. The only reward of the soldier, when he dies, is the inheritance of virtue and valor which he transmits to his children and friends; and the consciousness that he will not be forgotten, but will live in the hearts of those who survive him, and for whom he poured out his heart's blood, nerves his arm and makes him a hero. The men who have fallen in the late contest will live in the hearts of our people while the Father of Waters shall continue to pour his turbid stream into the ocean. In this connection we publish the following beautiful article, from a prominent young lady of this city, renowned for her talent and admired for her many womanly accomplishments:

Our Confederate Dead.

An American writer, one whose sketches are familiar as household words, in language touchingly beautiful, has said: "The sorrow for the dead is the only sorrow from which we refuse to be divorced; every other wound we seek to heal—every other affection to forget—but this wound, we consider it a duty to keep open; this affliction we cherish and brood over in solitude."

Not even at the present hour, when every recollection of the past brings with it a pang of keenest anguish, when every thought associated with the memory of the Confederate dead is accompanied with the terrible realization of the past, that the tyrant's shackles fetter the land whose battlefields were crimsoned with the life-blood of the noble sons who died to save it—no, not even now, in this our hour of deepest anguish and bitterest trial, can we forget that throughout the length and breadth of our beautiful land are soldiers' graves in many lowly spots, beneath grassy mounds, their requiem chanted by whispering breezes and sighing winds. Many more rest their weary heads upon the bosom of mother earth, beneath peaceful shades, within the quiet resting places of the dead. The gentle spirits of the heroic dead are at rest, forgetful of the past and its four long, bloody years of toil and strife, in which their names and heroic deeds were inscribed upon the proud record of their country's glory; unconscious of the present, and its dark, lowering clouds of care and gloom, unillumined by a single gleam of silvery light; unmindful of that dim future beneath whose misty veil the future history of our country is hidden from mortal eye. How calm their sleep; how peaceful their slumber, unbroken by a dream of care, or a thought of sorrow; undisturbed even by the silent tread of the lonely mourner, weeping tears of bitter grief upon the grassy mounds beneath which the loved ones repose. The day and hour are gone in which the women of the South were permitted the last comforts of ministering to their dying wants, of soothing their fevered brows, applying the cooling draught to parched and burning lips, and when all was over, and had fled the spirit of the soldier boy, often the joy and pride and only hope of a lonely mother's widowed heart, of closing the eyes in death, and consigning the inanimate form to the narrow limits of the grave. We can no longer testify our appreciation of their heroic deeds by these ministrations of love and tenderness, but we can "bring flowers, pale flowers" to strew upon their graves, mute but expressive emblems of a love and gratitude that "survives the tomb," and shall live in the inmost sanctuary of our hearts while memory lasts and life remains. L.

APRIL 25, 1868.

IN OUR local columns will be seen a communication from "Citizen," which we commend to the attention of all voters and "taxpayers." It is well to consider whether we can best meet the due demands on the city at present, or run on a cash basis and pay the principal thirty years hence. The city needs present relief. Her credit is gone at home and aboad, and it must be redeemed, even if a sacrifice in future were required; which, however, is not the case, as will be seen by the figures of "Citizen." We are sorely pressed by anomalous difficulties and misfortunes, which, it is reasonable to suppose, will not beset the next generation, thirty years hence. To place the city on a cash basis, it is necessary to retire the city scrip, and then tax-payers will be compelled to pay cash into the treasury. The entire amount of city scrip afloat is not more than $225,000. We would, therefore, urge every one possessing the elective franchise to vote next Thursday, the 30th instant, for "Bonds," as being the speediest and most economical method of relieving the city of an onerous burden, and hastening a new era of financial and physical prosperity.

A young Indian maid, visiting a flouring mill in Winona, Minnesota, surreptitiously got hold of the stencils and decorated her white blanket with "Ellsworth's choice" in bright, red letters, after which she strutted down street, to the eventual horror of the bachelor Ellsworth who owns the mill.

TELEGRAPH

MIDNIGHT DISPATCHES.

ST. LOUIS.

ST. LOUIS, April 25.

It has been raining here all day.

Arrived—Steamer Gem, from Tennessee river.

Departed—Steamer Commercial, for New Orleans.

Bishop Hawks was buried here yesterday.

Senator Yates has written a letter, addressed to the people of Illinois, acknowledging the substantial truth of the criticism passed upon him by the press of that State, but claiming that these statements are exaggerated. He apologizes for his bad conduct, without reserve or defense, but declines, positively, to resign. He promises to reform at once, and do his duty hereafter, free from the besetting sin which has so dragged him down.

NEW ORLEANS.

NEW ORLEANS, April 25.

Further returns from country parishes received to-day do not affect materially the result already given.

The Supreme Court has decided that the Grand Jury drawn under General Hancock's order, and composed entirely of white men, is illegal, and orders the discharge of the jury.

A decision rendered in the case of the negro convicted of murder was appealed from the District Courts; decision of Court reversed and indictment quashed.

FOREIGN.

LONDON, April 25.

The trial of the Clerkenwell prisoners was resumed to-day. Four witnesses swore that the prisoner Barrett was in Glasgow on the 13th of December, the day on which the explosion occurred, and though subjected to a most rigid cross examination, their testimony was completely unshaken.

Prince Alfred was shot in the back by a Fenian named Farrell. The Prince subsequently sailed for England.

WILMINGTON.

WILMINGTON, N. C., April 25.

The result of the election is still doubtful. Returns from the extreme western counties will decide the result. The Legislature will be about equally divided.

CANADA.

OTTAWA, C. W., April 25.

Two detectives have sworn to having heard a conversation between Whalen and Doyle in jail, wherein Whalen admitted having shot McGee.

The House of Commons has passed a bill for the support of McGee's family.

Fortieth Congress—First Session

SENATE.

WASHINGTON, April 25.

The Chief Justice stated that the first business in order was the order offered by Mr. Edmonds yesterday, to admit official reporters to report the proceedings on the final consideration.

Mr. Edmonds, at the suggestion of severl Senators, moved to postpone it until Monday.

Mr. Drake moved that it be indefinitely postponed, which was rejected by 20 to 27, and the motion to postpone until Monday was agreed to.

Mr. Sumner offered two additional rules, which went over.

Mr. Groesbeck then addressed the Senate on the part of the President, and, after introductory remarks, he proceeded to consider the question, whether or not the Senate is now sitting as a Court, and said he would not discuss it in the light of English precedents, but with reference to our own Constitution, which countenanced neither the bill of attainder nor irresponsible tribunals to be laws unto themselves. He then called attention to the fact that the provisions of the Constitution as first drafted contemplated impeachment for malpractice and neglect of duty in office, but those since adopted permit it only for treason, bribery and other high crimes and misdemeanors, and then challenged the proof to show that during any of the trials which form our precedents, the idea that the Senate was not a court had ever been advanced. He read from the records of each of them, and called attention to the language in which the Senate on all those occasions styled itself the Court. He also quoted Storey and other authorities to show the judicial character of the Senate and the qualifications they must bring to the discharge of their obligations. On reference to their jurisdiction, he held that the only question for them to decide was that of crime or no crime; and further, that no action could be so considered in connection with which evil intention was not a part. He illustrated this proposition by considering a homicide committed by a madman, and said the supposition that the President should violate the law after losing his reason, and also by reference to the acts of Mr. Lincoln in constituting military tribunals in loyal States, which conduct, though pronounced destitute of warrant by the Supreme Court, had been upheld by Congress on the ground that the motive was good. Having thus, as he claimed, shown the falsity of the doctrine advanced by the Managers on that subject, he said he should next consider the question whether the President had the right to remove Mr. Stanton and grant a letter of authority to General Thomas, for on these two issues hung the fate of eight of the articles. As to the first point, he held that the civil tenure law did not apply to Stanton, because he was not appointed by Mr. Johnson, but even if Mr. Johnson did not, his term of office expired one month after the expiration of his first term, and if Mr. Lincoln were now living, Stanton could be removed by him, and equally so by his successor, who was serving out the remainder of his term. In support of his proposition that the President had the power to remove Stanton, under the law of 1789, Mr. Groesbeck quoted the letter of Mr. Adams to Mr. Pickering, announcing to him, not that he was to be removed, but that he was actually removed, and a successor appointed. He said his feeble health to-day obliged him to pass by with a mere reference to the utterance of Senators at the time of the passage of the Tenure-of-Office bill, and the fact that it did not profess to repeal the act of 1789, and went on to argue that, as all admitted that there was room for doubting the construction of law, and the President had availed himself of the counsel of those specifically designated by the Constitution to give it to him, therefore he must be held guiltless of crime in construing it as he did. In regard to the constitutionality of that law, he adverted to the fact that those who had framed it he could not address with much hope of changing their opinion, but he would make the inquiry whether, assuming its constitutionality, the President's action could be deemed criminal. Alluding to a portion of Mr. Boutwell's speech, he denied that the President was merely the servant of Congress to execute their laws. His oath of office, he said, required him to maintain first the Constitution. He further combatted the position assumed by that honorable Manager, that the President is required to execute all laws, even if they are pronounced unconstitutional by the Supreme Court, claiming that in such cases he was bound by his higher obligations; and after reciting well known principles of interpretation, one of which was that long settled practice had determined the construction of law, he claimed that the meaning of the act of 1789 was so determined and fixed by general usage and judicial decisions that the President had the right to challenge the constitutionality of a law in conflict with, and yet not repealing the old law, which had been framed and so long construed as being embodied in the principles of the Constitution regarding the power of removal.

At this point the Senate took a recess, and on reassembling Mr. Groesbeck resumed his argument, maintaining that the debates in Congress in 1789 proved the correctness of the President's construction of the laws then passed. He then cited the acts of 1789 in relation to the Postoffice Department, and those of 1825 and 1849, creating the Navy, Postoffice and Interior Departments, all assuming or affirming the right of removal by the President, as set forth in the act of 1789; and said that against all this preponderance of construction and precedent there was opposed only the act of 1867; and he claimed that there was truly ground for doubt and hesitation, on the part of the President, sufficient to induce him to resist it, with a view of having the matter determined by the Supreme Court. He asked if the President was to be convicted because he acted on the interpretation sanctioned by his constitutional advisers, by the Thirty-eighth Congress, by the Supreme Court, and the uniform practice of the Government. Describing the relations between the President and Stanton, Mr. Groesbeck insisted that it was shown by the testimony of General Sherman and others that the President acted in the public interest in removing him. He also claimed that the President had prepared a *quo warranto*, and gladly availed himself of the proceedings brought against General Thomas in order to anticipate the slow proceedings he must otherwise have adopted to secure a decision of the Court. He further ridiculed the idea that the President's intention was evil and dangerous, since he had applied to Generals Grant, Sherman and Thomas, men whom the country delighted to honor, to accept the place which it is now alleged he sought to fill with a tool, to be used for base purposes. Mr. Groesbeck also considered that the President's acquiescence in the Tenure-of-Office law, as long as possible, was strong in his favor. Recapitulating his argument up to this point, Mr. Groesbeck proceeded to consider the question whether the President had the right to make the appointment *ad interim*, and claimed that he had no such right under the act of 1795; and to show that the provisions of that act were not affected by the law of 1863, he made the same argument advanced by Mr. Curtis, and went on to instance various precedents of similar appointments made while the Senate was in session, dwelling at length on the case of Holt, appointed by Buchanan to succeed Floyd, which, he said, required particular notice, because the Senate had made particular inquiry into it, and called upon the President for an explanation, which he gave, to their entire satisfaction, justifying himself under the precise law to which Mr. Johnson refers in this defense.

Passing over the ninth article with very brief comments, Mr. Groesbeck read the sedition law, and said that while it closely resembled the tenth article, it was much less objectionable and offensive, for that punished the publication of something cooly written, while this made criminal words hastily spoken under trying provocations. He then read a burlesque law, framed to carry out his understanding of that article, which created great merriment.

With regard to the 11th article, he said he would only note the fact that the action of the President in sending a telegram to Parsons (Governor of Alabama) which had formed the subject of a three hours' speech, to take place months before the reconstruction act, which it was supposed to obstruct.

In conclusion he summed up his argument, and expressed confidence in the final result, and characterized the precedents of the conventions referred to by others, as "beacon lights of warning" rather than examples for guidance, and pronounced a glowing eulogy upon the life, character and services of the President.

The Court and Senate then, at 4:40, adjourned.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

The friends and acquaintances of Rev. D. J. ALLEN are respectfully invited to attend his fuderal, from the Central Methedist Church, on Union street, Sunday, April 26, at three o'clock p.m.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

VARIETIES THEATER,
Corner of Main and Washington Streets.
O. H. H. BROOM .... Proprietor
ONLY PLACE OF AMUSEMENT OPEN IN THE CITY
A MONSTER BILL TO-NIGHT.
Consisting of Ballads, Duets, Comic Vocalism, Fancy Dances, Ethiopian Sketches, Farces, Pantomimes, etc., in all forming
A RICH, RARE AND RACY ENTERTAINMENT.
Admission Fifty Cents. Private Boxes Five Dollars. Doors open at half-past six, performance to commence at half-past seven o'clock. apr4

AUCTION.

Constable's Sale of Milch Cows.

I WILL sell, at public vendue, three fine Milch Cows and Calf at C. MOLLITOR'S STABLE, on Union street, near Second, on MONDAY, April 27, at ten o'clock a.m.
J. F. GOODMAN,
apr25 Special Constable of Shelby County.

AUCTION SALE.

WE will sell on WEDNESDAY MORNING, the 29th instant, at ten o'clock, the well known SALOON and RESTAURANT,

Golden Age, No. 48 Jefferson Street,

Containing everything in a first class Saloon and Restaurant, in part as follows: Splendid Gilt Mirrors, Counter, Bar Fixtures, Liquors, Gas Fixtures, Extension Dining Tables, Stoves, Table ware, Chairs, Ice Chests, etc., etc.
Sale Without Reserve. A. S. LEVY & CO.,
apr25 Auctioneers.

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NEW GOODS!
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BOUGHT AT THE SALE
—OF A—
BANKRUPT IMPORTER
GREAT BARGAINS
—AT—
B. LOWENSTEIN & BROS.

HAVING JUST RECEIVED a large stock, bought at a BANKRUPT IMPORTER'S SALE, We offer

Great Bargains During This Week
IN ALL KINDS
DRESS GOODS
—AND—
TRIMMINGS,
LINENS, DAMASK,
TOWELS,
HANDKERCHIEFS & HOSIERY
ALSO, A LARGE STOCK OF
ELEGANT LACE POINTS
AND AN IMMENSE QUANTITY OF
EMBROIDERIES
WHICH WE OFFER AT
LESS THAN GOLD PRICES!
JUST RECEIVED.
A NEW STYLE PRINTS
WHOLESALE BUYERS
Should give us a call before making purchases, as we have a large stock of
PRINTS,
DOMESTICS,
DRILLS, STRIPES,
COTTONADES and
LINEN DRILLS,
Which we offer as Low as such can be IMPORTED AT FROM NEW YORK.
B. LOWENSTEIN & BROTHERS
Corner Jefferson and Main Streets.
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COMPETITION!
MENKEN BROTHERS
OFFER THIS WEEK
A Large Stock of Assorted Goods
AT PRICES WHICH
DEFY COMPETITION!
Beautiful Grenadine Barege, 25 cents a yard.
Summer Mozambiques, 25 cents a yard.
French Figured Lawns, 20 cents a yard.
Checked Ginghams, 12 1-2 cents a yard.
Pure Linen Sheeting, 10-4 wide, 85 cents a yard.
Irish Linen, 40 cents a yard.
—ALSO—
1,000 pieces Fast Color Prints, 12 1-2 cents a yard.
1,000 pieces 4-4 Bleached Domestic, 15 cents a yard.
100 Marseilles Bed Quilts, $2 a pair.
—ALSO—
1,000 Pure Linen Towels, 15c. each.
JUST RECEIVED,
A New Lot of Elegant Lace Points,
SUN SHADES AND PARASOLS.
apr26

LAKE'S HIPPO-OLYMPIAD
AND
MAMMOTH CIRCUS
WILL PERFORM AT
MEMPHIS FOR THREE DAYS ONLY
COMMENCING
Thursday, April 30, at 7 o'clock p.m.
On and after Friday, two performances daily, at two and seven o'clock. apr22

Lecture on Spiritualism.
THERE will be a Lecture delivered by Rev. P. F. O'REILLY, of St. Louis,
On Sunday Evening, April 26, 1868,
AT HALF-PAST 7 O'CLOCK,
At St. Patrick's Church, Corner Linden & DeSoto Sts.
Subject—SPIRITUALISM.
Admission Fifty Cents. apr24

2,500 Sacks Corn and 500 Sacks Oats
FOR sale Low to the Trade. DENIE & CO.,
apr26 41 South Side Court Square.

OLD WINE & LIQUOR HOUSE
Established by Raphael Semmes in 1819.
B. J. SEMMES & CO.,
Irving Block, 254 Second Street, Memphis, Tenn.
IMPORTERS AND DEALERS IN
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Import Direct
Martell Brandies, Port, Sherry and Other Wines,
SOLE AGENTS FOR
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GEO. PATTISON & CO.,
NO. 317 1-2 MAIN STREET, WEST SIDE,
WHOLESALE & RETAIL DEALERS IN SCHOOL, MISCELLANEOUS
BLANK AND MEMORANDUM BOOKS.
A large and well selected stock of everything in our line kept constantly on hand at Lowest Market Price. Wholesale dealers would do well to examine our goods before purchasing elsewhere. mh6

FORSTER, KEALHOFER & CO.,
GROCERS, COTTON FACTORS AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
No. 209 Main Street, Four Doors North of Adams, Memphis, Tenn.,
General Dealers in Plantation Supplies.
IN ADDITION, ALWAYS HAVE
Choice Michigan Butter, Shaker Preserves, Sugar, Flour, Meal, Lard, Choice Coffees, Extra Golden Syrup, Canned Fruits, Pickles, Sugar Cured Hams, Irish Potatoes, Hominy, Buckwheat Flour, Green and Black Teas, Breakfast Bacon, Beans, Pearl Barley.
Have in store a consignment of DRIED PEACHES—finest in the market.
Captain KEALHOFER gives special attention to Cotton and Produce consigned to the house. ja30

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

BOND ELECTION!
Judges, Clerks, Etc.

THE following will be the places for Voting and the Judges and Clerks at the Election on THURSDAY, the 30th instant, for the issuance of TIME BONDS for the purpose of funding the past due debt of the city:

FIRST WARD ENGINE HOUSE—Judges, John Newsom, A. Renkert and J. O. Drew; Clerks, A. W. Newsom and F. C. Schaffer; Sheriff, John W. Taylor.

THIRD WARD ENGINE HOUSE—Judges, John Park, R. S. Myers and F. J. Atwell; Clerks, John C. Bridges and J. A. Newsom; Sheriff, E. Marshall.

FIFTH WARD ENGINE HOUSE—Judges, A. T. Shaw, C. B. Church and James Banks; Clerks, C. W. Newsom and Dan. Looney; Sheriff, R. G. Tucker.

SEVENTH WARD ENGINE HOUSE—Judges, O. C. Jones, J. D. Wimberly and W. R. Duncan; Clerks, D. W. Richards and K. E. Hoy; Sheriff, James Swan.

Polls will be opened at ten o'clock a.m. and closed at five p.m. Judges will see that the existing franchise laws of the State are complied with.
The Judges and Clerks will be qualified at the Polls, in each precinct, at half-past nine o'clock.
By order of E. McDAVITT, Mayor pro tem.
C. T. SMITH, Seargent-at-Arms.
Approved—J. J. SEARS, Commissioner of Registration for Shelby county, Tennessee. apr26

Cash Store.
Harrison Flour,
Stonewall Flour,
XXX Family Flour,
Corn Meal,
Geo. F. Davis & Co.'s Canvassed Hams,
Geo. F. Davis & Co.'s Breakfast Bacon, (Small and Nice.)
FINNIE & BUCKHAM,
Main Street, between Madison and Monroe.
Sugars—Cut, Crushed, Powdered, Coffee and Common.
Coffee—Rio, Java, Laguyra, Ceylon & African.
Syrup—Very fine, by the gallon and in five gallon kegs.
Soap—Put up in half boxes for family use
Starch—In quarter boxes; nice size for a family.
All delivered free of drayage, guaranteed good, and as cheap as any house will sell, and perhaps a little cheaper. FOR CASH ONLY.
FINNIE & BUCKHAM,
apr26 308 Main Street.

M. PERDUE,
Modes de Paris, 273 1-2 Main Street,
OPPOSITE COURT SQUARE,
KEEPS an exquisite assortment of
Real Laces, Embroideries,
Corsets, White Goods,
Dress Trimmings, etc.
—ALSO—
French Flowers, Ribbons,
Frosted Crepes and Tulles,
Colored Blondes, Straw Goods,
In endless variety, including the new MANDARIN and EMERALD SUNDOWNS.
The SHOW ROOM is daily replenished with the most
NOVEL STYLES OF BONNETS & HATS
To be found in the city. apr26

HUMAN HAIR GOODS
AND
LADIES' HAIR DRESSING.
I HAVE brought from Paris a large and well selected stock of HUMAN HAIR GOODS, the finest ever brought to any market. I ask the Ladies to call and see for themselves the artistic styles and elegance of the human hair,
At 269 1-2 Main Street, Up-stairs, Opp. Court Square
N. B.—WIGS, CHIGNONS, etc. HAIR CUTTING in any style done by the Professor, T. LAVIGNE. apr26

The Beautiful Ice Cream Saloon
At JOS. SPECHT'S, 37 Madison St.,
IS OPEN.
THE Ladies and Gentlemen are respectfully invited. ICE CREAM, CAKES, CANDIES, NUTS, etc.; SODA WATER, with pure fresh syrup. All of the freshest and best qualities.
apr25 JOS. SPECHT.

FASHIONABLE
Boot and Shoemakers,
LINKHAUER & BRO. Agents.
THIS well known firm is now located at 381½ Second street between South Court and Madison, opposite the old man Stock.

Cotton Yarns! Cotton Yarns!
A FULL SUPPLY always on hand at
WM. R. MOORE & CO.'S,
No. 299 Main street.

To whom it may Concern.
I WILL, on the first Monday of the May term of the County Court of Shelby county, Tennessee, apply for letters of administration on the estate of James Sullivan, deceased.
apr17 MICHAEL McFADDEN.

E. H. FLYNN, RETAIL GROCER,
No. 50 Beale Street,
HAS for sale FRESH COUNTRY BUTTER, SLICED HAM and CHIP BEEF, of the best quality. apr21

Notice.
I WILL, at the next term of the County Court of Shelby county, Tennessee, apply for letters of administration upon the estate of Patrick Matthews, deceased.
DANIEL BREEN.
T. A. RYAN, Attorney for Breen. apr26

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

CLOTHING!
ROBESON, SNEED & CO.
261 MAIN STREET,
OLD STAND MACK BROTHERS & BOHM,
ARE IN RECEIPT OF
New & Desirable Styles
OF
SPRING CLOTHING
WHICH ARE OFFERED
AT MODERATE PRICES
WE INVITE ESPECIAL ATTENTION
TO OUR STOCK OF
FURNISHING GOODS!
SHOULDER, SEAM, DIAMOND,
AND F. Y. S. SHIRTS.
UNDERWEAR
of all Seasonable Fabrics.
ENGLISH HOSIERY,
In Great Variety.
TRUNKS, VALISES, PORTMANTEUS,
New and Desirable Styles.
ROBESON, SNEED & CO.,
No. 261 Main Street,
(Old Stand Mack Brothers & Bohm)
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ANDERSON & GAY,
WHOLESALE GROCERS
AND
COMMISSION MERCHANTS
338 Front Street, Corner Union,
HAVE on Consignment: 2,000 bales Hay, 1,000 sacks Oats, 1,000 barrels Cape Lime, 50 kegs Pigs Feet, 500 sacks Corn.
Sole Agents for Crescent City Roofing Paper. mh28

Trustee's Sale.
BY virtue of a deed in trust executed by William B. Cotton on the 14th day of May, 1866, and recorded in Book No. 57, part first, pages 148, 149 and 150, in the Register's office of Shelby county and State of Tennessee, I will,
On the 27th day of April, 1868,
At 11 a.m., proceed to sell to the highest bidder, for cash, at the salerooms of Royster, Trezevant & Co., 276 Second street, in the city of Memphis, Tennessee, the following described real estate, to-wit: Being a ten acre lot in the Fifth Civil District, on McConnell's avenue, having a front of three hundred and sixty-five feet (365 feet), and a depth of eighteen chains and six links (18 chains 6 links.) The said lot to be sold to pay certain notes described in said trust deed. Equity of redemption waived.
C. G. FIELD, Trustee.
JOHN F. TREZEVANT, Auctioneer. apr8

Valuable City Property for Sale
FOR CITY SCRIP.
TITLE good and lot valuable. Thirty-five feet by two hundred. Address
apr8 A. S., AVALANCHE OFFICE

Jaconets, Swisses, Etc.,
TOGETHER with full lines NOTIONS, DRESS GOODS etc.; now offering by
WM. R. MOORE & CO.,
apr21 No. 299 Main street.

Paper Hangings.
A BEAUTIFUL ASSORTMENT just received on consignment, with instructions to close out, at
WM. R. MOORE & CO.'S,
No. 299 Main street.

CHEAP SADDLERY HOUSE
Saddles, Bridles, Harness, Whips, Collars, Leather and Saddlery Hardware.
C. N. CASE, JR., & CO.,
No. 177 Main Street, Sign of the Golden Stirrup
WEBSTER BLOCK. apr26

Chamber of Commerce.
APRIL 25, 1868.
THE regular Monthly Meeting of the Chamber will be held at their Hall to-morrow,
Monday Evening, April 27, at four o'clock.
All members are requested to be present, as there is business of great importance to come before them.
apr26 S. RIDGELY, Acting Secretary.

Notice.
THE partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the style of DAVIS & NORTON, is this day dissolved, by mutual consent. J. C. DAVIS will continue business in the office occupied by the late firm.
J. C. DAVIS,
apr26 JAMES NORTON.

THE DAILY AVALANCHE.

SUNDAY, : : : : APRIL 26, 1868

OFFICIAL JOURNAL
OF THE CITY AND BOARD OF SCHOOL VISITORS.

Officers and conductors of railroads are requested to give no free transportation to any one on the credit of the Avalanche.
M. C. GALLAWAY & CO.

Elder T. W. Caskey will preach at the Linden Street Christian church to-day, at eleven a.m. and at half past seven p.m.

Rev. L. C. Ransom will preach at the First Cumberland Presbyterian church, Court street, at half past ten a.m. and eight p.m. Sunday school at half past eight a.m.

Services at the First Presbyterian church, corner of Third and Poplar streets, at eleven a.m. and at seven p.m.

Dr. Bealer, of South Carolina, will preach at the First Baptist church at eleven a.m. and half past seven p.m. Sabbath school at nine a.m.

THE RACES.

Two Races Over the Course To-morrow.

The spring meeting will be inaugurated to-morrow. Every preparation has been made to ensure a fine week's sport. The track is in fine condition, and the stables are filled with splendid horses. There will be two races to-morrow; but not having been furnished corrected lists of the horses entered, we are unable to say what horses will start. The first is mile heats for Shelby county horses; the second, mile heats, best three in five.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

Nigger Ham Carter has opened a Magistrate's shop.

Cow stealing has been reduced to a fine art in this vicinity.

The sum of $790 was stolen from Nancy Freebold a night or two since.

The alarm of fire at ten o'clock last night was false.

The measles have made their appearance in sufficiently large numbers to go around.

Buffalo gnats are proving quite injurious to stock. Colonel A. J. Kellar lost a valuable horse Friday night.

The stockholders of the Memphis, Clarksville and Louisville railroad have resolved to put that corporation in bankruptcy.

Several articles of clothing were stolen from Colonel M. J. Wicks' residence, on Poplar street, Friday night.

The May ball to be given at Forest Hill on the evening of the 1st proximo, will be an elegant and select affair, and we learn will be well attended.

Colonel C. W. S. Brown, General Agent of the Little Miami Railroad, arrived a day or two since from Louisville, and left last night for White river.

Friday night Captain Perry, of the Second District Police, arrested a couple of negroes who were robbing Bruder's boot and shoe store on Main street.

James Bars appeared before Esquire Dailey yesterday to answer the charge of murdering Allen Bolen (colored) near Cuba, Tennessee, last winter, and gave $6,000 bail for his appearance at the May term of the Criminal Court.

Mosquitoes have commenced favoring citizens with free concerts, causing violent exercise of the slapatory organs. It is understood that if Colonel Beaumont attempts to stop them they will imitate the example of the other insect that plays the hand organ, and get an injunction.

The examination of Henry Buttenburg, charged with shooting Mr. Hundhausen, was transferred yesterday afternoon from Esquire Kiernan's to Esquire Griffith's office. Little was done, and Buttenburg was permitted to return home and remain under guard until Monday, when, if he is well enough, the examination will be resumed. He is suffering considerably from his injuries.

The first "mill" of the season occurred in the County Court Clerk's office yesterday afternoon, the parties to which were an *attache* of the morning Radical newspaper concern and an ex-journalist, whom that journal had charged with writing a letter signed "Mexo." The ex-journalist planted a sockdolager on the journalist's oration trap, which the other requited with a snollygoster on his antagonist's bread-basket. Then the so-called "Mexo" handed the newspaperman a few on his smellatorious, which brought him to grief. Time being called, the wrist tipped "Mexo" on the snoot, causing a liberal exudation of claret, but a rib-roaster from "Mexo" compelled the other to throw up the sponge. No sponge being handy, a bucket was tossed up. "The colored troops fought nobly."

Embroideries from bankrupt importer's sale at B. Lowenstein & Bros. 3t

A NEW FEATURE AT THE OVERTON.—The only thing lacking to rank the Overton with the leading hotels of the East and West was a telegraphic connection in the office. This want is being supplied by the establishment of a branch telegraph office in the building, in charge of Mr. Chris. Reily, a competent and courteous operator. Messages may now be sent from the Overton to all points of the country, and guests will no longer be subject to the inconvenience of visiting the main office, several squares away.

NOTICE TO THE TRAVELING PUBLIC.—Great reduction in passenger fare. Memphis to New York, first class, $35; Memphis to Omaha, first class, $27; Memphis to St. Paul, first class, $35. For through tickets to any point in the United States, and any information, passengers are respectfully invited to call at the General Union Railroad and Steamboat Ticket Office, No. 5 Jefferson street, Memphis.
LEVY & MILLER, Agents.
E. B. BYINGTON, General Agent. tf

TO MERCHANTS, JOBBERS AND RETAILERS.—Having an extra large stock of calicoes, bleached and brown domestics, stripes, bed ticking, jeans and linens, we are selling at New York quotations in order to close them out. Here are bargains for somebody. J. H. Loewenstine & Bros., No. 231 Main street, Clay Building. 2w

Lace points from bankrupt importer's sale at B. Lowenstein & Bros. 3t

PLANTERS.—Brogans, negro plaids and stripes, osnaburgs, calicoes, bleached and brown domestics, cottonades, linens, bed-ticking and boots and shoes are being sold at extra bargains at J. H. Loewenstine & Bro.'s, No. 231 Main street, Clay Building. 2w

Ladies, having a large stock of dress goods, lawns, house furnishing linens, shoes and fancy dry goods, we are selling them at extra low prices. Call and see the bargains. J. H. Loewenstine & Bros., No. 231 Main Street, Clay Building. 2w

COST! COST!! COST!!!—The large and splendid stock of boots, shoes and hats—one of the finest in the South—to be closed out at less than Eastern cost, for cash, at J. T. Hanlan & Co.'s, No. 279 Main street. 1m

An immense quantity of embroideries, from bankrupt importer's sale, at less than gold prices, at B. Lowenstein & Bros. 3t

A lot of gents' furnishing goods, hats, etc., are closing out below cost at Howell, Wood & Co.'s, 332 Main street. 3

Fifty dozen ladies' white cotton hose, slightly damaged by water, from fifteen to twenty-five cents per pair. [1w] RICE & ENGEL.

Traveling dress goods, at eighteen and three-fourths cents per yard, at Howell, Wood & Co.'s, Southern Palace.

The *finest* and *latest* styles of hats to be found at Leidy & Co's, 269 Main street, opposite the Square. 6t

Lawns and grenadines, in every grade, cheap at Howell, Wood & Co's. 3t

Just received, a large stock of lace points, by A. Seessel & Son. 1w

Linens, damask, towels, from bankrupt importer's sale, at B. Lowenstein & Bros. 3t

We will sell our damaged stock regardless of cost or value. Hesse & Co, 234 Main street. tf

Our hats are the *best*. Leidy & Co, 269 Main street, opposite the Square. 6t

Second large arrival of fancy dress goods, by A. Seessel & Son. 1w

Lumber, Shingles and Laths can be bought low of B. K. Plain & Co., 364 Second street. 1m

NUT COAL.—A fresh supply just received and for sale by Brown & Jones, 247 Second street.

Lace points, from bankrupt importer's sale, at less than gold prices, at B. Lowenstein & Bros. 3t

We will sell our damaged stock regardless of cost or value. Hesse & Co, 234 Main street. tf

Fifty pieces linen lawn at a sacrifice. Were wet, but not damaged [1w] RICE & ENGEL.

Great bargains in goods from bankrupt importer's sale, at B. Lowenstein & Bros. 3t

Fouland silks, fifty cents per yard, at Howell, Wood & Co.'s Southern Palace. 3t

A BURGLAR IN THE TOILS.

Shooting of a Desperate Negro While Crawling Through a Transom.

Several attempts recently made to rob Mr. L. Podesta's confectionery, on the south-east corner of Third and Madison streets, has rendered that gentleman more than ordinarily watchful. He sleeps in the rear of the establishment, and quite early yesterday morning was awakened by a noise, which proved to be caused by some one seeking to enter through the transom over the front door. Mr. Podesta cocked his pistol, fired, and the form of the would-be intruder dropped heavily on the pavement. The burglar was a negro named Miles Porter. When discovered he had nearly succeeded in effecting an entrance, and the bullet struck him in the abdomen. Porter was bleeding inwardly at last accounts, and his injuries were considered mortal.

This is the fourth or fifth instance of burglar shooting in the city and suburbs during the past few months. The logic of pistol bullets seldom fails, and if all citizens visited by night prowlers of this character were to sleep, like Mr. Podesta, with one eye open, and act as promptly, they would not only protect themselves but place the community under obligations. The few robbers sent to the penitentiary by the courts soon return, pardoned by the chief of outlaws, Governor Brownlow, and the vicinity can be permanently rid of them only by homeopathic applications of lead and cold steel.

THE EVERLASTING WHARFBOAT QUESTION.—The ten days of suspension of the Aldermanic sword of Damocles expired yesterday, but the glittering weapon has not fallen. The wharfboats remain as peacefully at the landing as though the united efforts of the municipal authorities were devoted to riveting them to the bluff. The committee of three have been flying about, held a meeting or two, perhaps been courted a little by the St. Louis Packet company's representations, and that's all. We learn that, while disposed to visit destruction upon the "outside" wharfboats, they now incline to permit the St. Louis wharfboat to remain, having ascertained that to be a marvelously proper institution. The representatives and friends of the company are chuckling over the victory, and assert that they will "work it." It is a singular fact that, while able to produce evidence of illicit operations on the part of Harmstad's and Johnson's wharfboats, nobody is brought forward to testify to any naughtiness practiced by the St. Louis concern. This sort of things won't do; these evidences of sudden weakness will doubtless be inquired into, should members of the Board who voted one way a short time ago, take the back track when the matter comes up for final disposition. The Grand Cyclops of the Packet Company, who has been here upwards of a week, is credited with a fair share of shrewdness; and he has not left a stone unturned. It remains to be seen whether his blandishments will result in any members of the Board being moulded like dough when the time for action comes.

PASSING COUNTERFEIT U. S. CURRENCY.—Late Thursday night, a young man named Fisher entered French John's eating-house and requested change for a $10 greenback. Mr. Mike Blessing, who happened to be at the counter, gave him two $5 bills, taking the $10. Some one suggesting that it would be prudent to examine it, a glance revealed it to be counterfeit. Fisher remarked that the man who gave him the bill was at Annie Gallagher's, (a low bagnio beyond the theater on Jefferson street,) and had plenty of the same kind. Sergeant J. K. Brown, of the night police, who was present, summoned patrolmen Clinton and Dee, and went down to look into the matter. They entered the house and arrested three men, giving their names as Charles Brown, W. D. Johnson and Wm. Newton. All had counterfeit money. Brown $117, Newton, $10 25, and Johnson $1 50. When arrested, Brown attempted to explain the possession of the money by alleging that it had been given him in payment for a horse the day before; but upon being requested to establish his innocence by aiding in securing the arrest of the party alluded to, had nothing more to say. The party were taken to the station house, and will be brought before United States Commissioner Morrison, to-morrow, for examination. Newton has been about Memphis for several years, but Brown and Johnson are new operators in this section. We think there is little doubt that large quantities of tolerably well executed counterfeit treasury notes have recently been brought here for circulation, and advise everybody to keep a sharp lookout for them.

A NEW AND ELEGANT SALOON.—Captain George W. Miller, proprietor of the magnificent "Capitol Saloon" in "Whisky Chute," has been preparing for some time to open an up-town saloon, No. 155 Main street, immediately above the Overton Hotel. It will be opened and in full blast to-morrow morning, and those familiar with the Capitol need not be told that the new saloon will be A. No. 1 in every respect. Captain Miller will keep none but the very best whisky, brandy, wines, ales, etc., and visitors may rely upon receiving the same courteous treatment for which his establishment has long been proverbial. Mr. Jake Randle, one of the most popular barkeepers in the city, and Mr. Culpp, well known on the river, will be on hand at all times to serve customers. The name chosen for the new saloon, which has been splendidly fitted up, is the "Crescent." A lunch will be set to-morrow from eleven a.m. to one p.m. Drop in.

ARREST OF BURGLARS.—About twelve o'clock Friday night, a party of burglars effected an entrance into Tagg's wall-paper store, on Main street, by boring out a side door pannel. Once inside, they commenced operating on the safe with an iron drill. Captain Perry, of the Second District Police, saw them enter. Stationing himself at the door, he gave an alarm, and the burglars were not long in comprehending that they had worked themselves into a snarl. There was but one mode of egress—by the door—and to attempt to run by the Captain was to partake of a collation of cold lead from a navy repeater. They surrendered, giving their names as W. H. Donnelly, Andrew Young and Louis Cross, and were lodged in the Second District station house. Skeleton keys and other burglars' tools were found in their possession.

A HEALTHFUL BEVERAGE.—Go to Ward & Le Guere's drug store, corner of Main and Adams streets, for a glass of *pure* soda water. At considerable expense they have obtained one of the finest generators in the world for the manufacture of soda water. It connects with a cistern of pure rain water, and, as the process of its manufacture is constantly going on as fast as it is drawn off, their soda water is always fresh, pure and cool. One trial will convince the least fastidious taste of its superiority to the soda water ordinarily sold.

Having determined to wind up our business, we will commence to dispose of our stock of dry goods, boots and shoes, hats and notions at public auction to the highest bidder on Monday next at ten o'clock—to continue from day to day until the whole stock is disposed of. We will sell at private sale during this week only. Best calicoes at ten cents per yard, and other goods in proportion.
STRAUSS & BLUM, 213 Main street,
4t Next door to Ward & LeGuere's drug store.

COMMERCIAL HOTEL.—This house, we notice, is rapidly rising in popular favor. It is located on the corner of Jefferson and Front streets, in the very heart of the city. Mr. M. Allen, the proprietor, "knows how to keep hotel," and his associates, Captain B. D. Castleman and Major W. J. Reynolds, both of "lost cause" celebrity, are popular gentlemen in the right place. Their house enjoys a liberal patronage.

One of the best printers in the city, and we may say throughout the Southern States, is our friend Charley Beehn, at No. 7½ Madison street. Charley attends in person to the work of his customers, and being No. 1 is a guaranty that all work turned out of his establishment is of the best quality, while his prices are of the most reasonable character.

WILL CLOSE ON FIRST OF MAY.—As it is our intention to ship the balance of our stock back to St. Louis on the 1st of May, we will offer special inducements to buyers for the next few days. Store fixtures and a large mirror for sale cheap. Parties owing us will please come forward and settle their accounts.
REED & BRO.,
No. 15½ Jefferson street.

DUBUQUE BUCK AND LAGER BEER.—Having received, by steamer Great Republic, the first shipment this season of these well-known beverages, I hereby respectfully invite all judges and lovers of lager to call to-morrow, (at which time a grand lunch will be served,) and express their opinion of their respective merits.
DOM ZWEIFEL,
34½ Adams street.

Just received, at L. Kremer's, fifty cases straw goods, of the very latest shape, which will be sold at extraordinary low prices. Mr. Kremer is constantly in the New York market. He has the advantage of buying at very low prices, and we will give the public the benefit of it. Wholesale buyers will be dealt with at a very small advance over cost.

FASHION.—We were treated to a peep into the atelier of M. Perdue a few days ago, and witnessed the creation of a bonnet, from the frame up, under the deft fingers of M'lle Elise. If you wish to see it, call at 273½ Main street, opposite Court square.

Remember, Hesse & Co's stock of damaged goods must be sold without regard to price or value, at 234 Main street. tf

Herzog & Brother, 316½ Main street, continue to receive the latest styles of trimmings, laces, buttons, gimps, etc.

The coolest and lightest hat at Leidy & Co's, 269 Main street, opposite the Square. 6t

Trunks repaired and covered at the trunk factory, 352 Main street.

THE COURTS.

MUNICIPAL COURT.—*George W. Waldran, Judge.* No session yesterday. Motions will be heard to-morrow.

The attention of attorneys is directed to the following list of cases. Motion will be made on Monday the 27th inst., to have them stricken from the docket, and costs to be assessed against plaintiffs and their sureties.

No.
9 Reimer vs Pfannestiehl et al
47 Barrett vs Van Brocklin
48 " Rosenfeld et al
53 Hatch vs Memphis and Cincinnati Packet Co.
54 Chaflin, Mellen & Co. vs Speed et al
56 N. E. Mut. Ins. Co. vs Hart et al
57 Nat. Ins. Co. vs Hart et al
58 Chafin vs Speed
59 Chaflin, Mellen & Co. vs Speed et al
61 Russell, Grove & Co. vs Lassett
65 Ketchum et al vs Fay
66 Chaflin et al vs Speed et al
67 Ventunin vs Bernard & Co
68 Rainey & Co. vs Powell
69 Hill, Rec'r vs Hawley et al
81 " vs W. W. Jones and app.
82 " vs Trousdale et al
83 " " "
84 " " "
85 " vs M. J. Wright et al
88 " vs Hulbert
89 " vs C. E. Lapham & Co.
92 " vs Steinkuhl
93 " vs Wolf & Co.
97 Duncan vs Peres & Co.
99 Bradley vs Gill
100 Fenerty vs Wilkinson
103 Wheaton vs Mickle, Mason & Smith
107 Prann vs Wolf
108 Life vs Arnold
112 Robinson vs Moon
113 Strauss and Baum vs Ireland
114 French vs Ivinson
115 Schafer vs Brooks
127 Anthony & Co vs Gill
130 Patterson vs Richardson et al
136 Barrett vs Rosenfeld
139 Copps vs Wild & Cocke
145 Beecher vs Shelby county
148 Coleman & Co. vs Baker
157 Kahn vs str. Maid of Peru
162 Barrett vs Boschurtz & Bro.
164 Van Brocklin vs Irwin
166 Shields admx. vs Maxwell
168 Thomas & Co vs Jimson
180 Rankin vs Butcher
183 Edwards vs Larkin
184 Thweatt vs Armistead
190 Kelley vs Saxton
191 Elson Bros. vs Hill Ex'r
192 Smith vs Hicks
199 Rosenbach vs Wolf
209 Ames, Woodbury & Jones vs Smith
210 Day vs Maxwell & Co
223 Ames, Woodbury & Jones vs McGinnis
227 " " vs Bryan
255 Shaw & Co. vs Lanier and Hughes
256 " vs Kelley
259 " vs Grundi
268 Ames, Woodbury & Co. vs Myers & Vaccaro
269 " " "
272 Schafer be Brooks & Suggs
274 Barrett vs Boschwitz & Bro
276 " vs Van Brocklin
282 Richardson vs A Greenlaw
283 Dickinson vs M O Hopkins
285 Lawrence vs Walker et al
299 Ware vs Geary & Co
302 Kelley & Co vs Duferey & Brennan
308 Kohen vs Crouch
309 Hitzfield vs Miller et al
317 Woolmer vs Cross
326 Wells vs Rogers
327 " vs Barnard & McClure
328 Shaw & Co vs Kraumel
331 Wells vs W F Armstrong
332 Ames & Co vs Stillman
339 Cummings vs Montgomery
351 Williams & Co vs George Johnson
365 Allen admx vs Remington
367 Cohen & Co vs Kilgore
372 Ketchum vs Hepburn
378 Thornton & Coleman vs Womble
384 Littleton vs Hecht
387 Thornton & Coleman vs Zimmerman
389 " " vs Malone
390 " " vs Judah
393 Hitzfield vs Graff & Etter
399 Seeger vs Bates
400 Sangster vs Isaacs
401 Plummer vs G Baker
406 Thornton & Co vs Dunham
420 Lyons vs Thornton
433 Stevens vs Leonard
441 Wofferd vs Lewis
451 Campbell vs Estep
456 Mem. Grove No. 2 vs Hock
458 Hesse, Levy & Co vs Stillman & Co
462 Echols vs Simons
464 First National Bank vs Scott
467 P Wickersham vs Stockley
471 Kellogg vs Griffin
472 " vs Terrain
485 Rosamond & Co vs Allen & Dyer
488 Johnson vs Marshal
490 Ames, Beattie & Jones vs A G Vaccaro
491 " " "
494 Eichberg vs Cross
505 Cronan vs O'Connor
523 Smith vs Simpson
531 Stratton vs Ensley
532 Morran vs Manning et al
536 Trezevant & Son vs H A Smith
543 Gallem & Co vs Loague
557 Cleary vs Brackett & Co
558 Foster, Guynn & Co vs Kenton
565 Nathan vs Labe
573 Alverson vs Kimbro
580 Maher vs Mattingley
599 Yancey vs Fulton
601 Cunningham vs Williams et al
612 Border & Brook vs Hanson
639 Jacobi vs Nelson
644 Caldaradis vs Moore
646 Grundy vs Hopkins & Co
663 Barnes vs Berton
686 Tate, Able & Co vs Schell
698 Mahan vs Davis
712 Pfahnenstiehl vs Walton et al
741 Merchants' National Bank vs Hunt et al
742 Lawson & Co vs Woltering
746 Bullock & Stahl vs Mehan, adm'r.
759 Walker vs Bloom
765 Lehner, use, etc, vs City of Memphis
775 Walker vs Stillman
778 Levy & Bros vs Behr & Bros
804 J Musso, jr, vs R F Arata
826 Leidy vs Browning
833 McCullum vs Pfahnenstiehl
850 Brown vs Winston
851 Ketchum vs Halpin
896 Webb vs Topp
909 Beecher & Belcher vs Ford
930 Clark Bros vs Alexander
951 Budde vs Boovies
999 Stalley vs Lawless

LAW COURT.—*James O. Pierce, Judge.*—Yesterday being motion day, no cases were tried.

The motions in cases where Judge Pierce is incompetent will be heard before Chancellor Smith to-morrow; after which the special docket already published will be called.

BANKRUPTCY COURT.—*T. J. Latham, Register.* Only one case in this Court yesterday—that of Willis G. Reeves, in which W. G. Cirode was appointed Assignee.

DEATH OF REV. D. J. ALLEN.—The Rev. D. J. Allen, long and well known as a Methodist minister in this city, died on the 24th instant, after protracted and distressing illness, at his residence, 168 Union street. A native of South Carolina, of which State he was always proud as his birthplace, Mr. Allen removed to West Tennessee upwards of twenty years ago, and here and in North Mississippi he spent the prime and strength of his manhood, in the work of the ministry and as an educator of the young. For a number of years past he resided chiefly in this city, where, as well as in the surrounding country, he enjoyed the esteem and friendship of many people who will in their hearts join with us in this mournful tribute to his memory, and in sympathy with his bereaved family. Mr. Allen was a very intelligent and highly cultivated gentleman, and in the private walks of life, as well as in the performance of the public duties of his calling, exerted a fine and salutary influence; and, besides, in public matters of general interest, he was always ready by counsel and example to aid in advancing every good cause. His beloved South never bore a truer son, nor one more willing than he to do or suffer whatever the times might require for her welfare and honor. But with him, life's warfare has ended; his sufferings, which were most excruciating, have ceased; and now he rests in peace. It is reported to us that in his last hours, as well as throughout his illness, the faith preached by him so constantly in the days of his health and strength, was exhibited in the most beautiful characters of patience and charity; and his passing away presented a very impressive example of triumph over the last foe. The funeral services, as announced elsewhere, will take place at three o'clock this afternoon, at the Central Methodist Church, on Union street, and will no doubt be largely attended, not only by the members of the several Methodist congregations, but his friends generally.

RUSSELL'S DISPENSARY.—The afflicted will be pleased to learn that this long-established institution will be kept open during the summer, and that Dr. Russell will devote his personal attention to those who may seek relief at his hands from any of the chronic forms of sexual and secret diseases. The Dispensary is in every appointment a complete asylum for the suffering, embracing private apartments, a valuable library, laboratory, and all that can conduce in any manner to the comfort and relief of the suffering, while Dr. Russell's cures have been such as to give him a rank in his profession second to no practitioner in the city, and but few, if any, on the continent. The Doctor can be consulted at the Dispensary from nine a.m. to one p.m. on Sunday, and from eight a.m. to eight p.m. on all other days.

THE SUPREME COURT DECISIONS.—The postponement of the floral exercises at Elmwood, originally announced for yesterday, has furnished space for the first installment of the decisions of the Supreme Court now in session at Brownsville. It will be found on the fourth page. These decisions, carefully synopsized by Judge R. R. Heath, of Heath, Lewis & Frazier, of the Memphis bar, will embrace not only those of the Memphis, but all the West Tennessee circuits, thus proving of direct interest to the legal profession everywhere within the jurisdiction of the court. We propose that this shall be a feature of the AVALANCHE that will render it indispensable to every one interested, either as attorney or client, in the decisions of the Supreme Court of the Western District.

GENTS.—An extra large stock of clothing, boots, hats and furnishing goods are being cleared out at less than Eastern cost, at J. H. Loewenstine & Bros.'s, No 231 Main street, Clay Building. 2w

One thousand hats, from fifty cents to one dollar. RICE & ENGEL,
1w 203 Main street, Webster Block.

Hosiery and handkerchiefs, a large stock, from bankrupt importer's sale, very cheap, at B. Lowenstein & Bros. 3t

Remember, Hesse & Co's stock of damaged goods must be sold without regard to price or value, at 234 Main street. tf

If you want a fine dress or business hat, go to Leidy & Co's, 269 Main street, opposite the Square. 6t

Cakes, ice cream and soda water, every day and evening, at Burton's, corner of Fourth and Poplar street. Separate saloon for ladies and families. tf

Doors, Glass, Sash and Blinds can be bought low at B. K. Plain & Co.'s, 364 Second street. 1m

Great bargains in lace points, from bankrupt importer's sale, at B. Lowenstein & Bros. 3t

Parasols and silk umbrellas in large assortment, are offered very low at Herzog's, 316½ Main street.

Funding the City Debt.

EDITORS AVALANCHE: The subject of issuing city bonds to relieve the present debt, which has elicited much general discussion for a few days past, is mistreated in a plausible communication, signed "Tax Payer," to a morning paper. He assumes that the city proposes to sell the bonds at fifty cents on the dollar, and upon this hypothesis argues that an increase of debt would follow. His premises, as I understand the question, are untenable. The value of these bonds is not necessarily fifty cents on the dollar; that is merely the lowest estimate made upon them in advance. The design of our city financial directors is, not to sell the bonds, but to fund the past due indebtedness of the city, of all kinds, into a bond, payable within thirty years—simply changing the date of the city's obligations from a pressing demand note to a time bond, to be paid in the future, thus relieving the city of an incubus of due debt. The whole issue is simply will it pay the city to fund a debt now nominally costing them no interest, into a bond upon which, for $1,000,000 issued, the city would have to pay $60,000 per annum? My answer most decidedly is yes, as proved by the financial reports of Mayor McDavitt, which shows that the city affairs, since January 1st, 1868, have been run upon a cash basis, at about $1,000 per month, being $30,000 per month *less* than in 1867, when the city was run by flooding the market with scrip. This shows as follows: *Increase* of liability of city by payment of interest on thirty year bonds, $60,000; *decrease*, by saving in running on a cash basis, $360,000, in twelve months, or a net saving per annum of not less than $300,000. With such an array of facts and figures, how can any voter or "tax-payer" oppose the funding of the city debt?
CITIZEN.

New goods from bankrupt importer's sale at B. Lowenstein & Bros. at great bargains. 3t

A LECTURE ON SPIRITUALISM TO-NIGHT.—We every day hear questions asked, and not very clearly answered, in regard to this, at present, interesting subject. Many look upon the developments of Spiritualism with a favorable, many with a sinister eye. The first think it to be a palpable proof of the soul's immortality and of life in another world. The latter assert, and offer proof, that the system, though assuming to itself a spirit—designation is, in reality, materializing in its tendencies—denying, while it seems to assert, all that is true of the immortality of the soul, or spirit-life beyond the grave. The difference is serious—which is right, which wrong? Surely the subject deserves a candid investigation. This a reverend gentleman from St. Louis, Father P. F. O'Reilly, proposes to give it, this evening, in a lecture at St. Patrick's Church, corner of Linden and DeSoto streets. Having made it a special study, much information may be expected from his treatment of it. See advertisement in another column.

MAY BALL.—Mr. William Ammon, the new proprietor of Forrest Hill, is determined to spare no pains or expenses in giving an entertainment, on the evening of May 1st, that shall be elegant, select and unique. Invitations have been issued to a limited number in the city and country. The supper will be an elegant and sumptuous affair. A first class band will go from the city, and a special train will go out in the evening to accommodate those going from the city. Tickets can be obtained at Jones' drug store, Merrimans', Cowperthwaits' and at the AVALANCHE office.

The lovers of good reading will be pleased to learn that the shelves of the Circulating Library are full to overflowing with all of the choice and popular books of the day. A small sum will buy a Ticket of Membership, with the privilege of this splendid library. All of the leading papers and magazines published, and an elegant assortment of stationery. W. H. CAVE, Agent,
244 Third street, two doors south of Jefferson.

SOUTHERN JOURNAL OF MUSIC.—The seventh number of this new publication, issued at Louisville, is before us. It contains much that is valuable, not only to the amateur and artiste, but any one who loves the great melodies of nature and science. The poet's corner is well filled, and the new music is worth the price of the *Journal*. It deserves the hearty support of the Southern people.

Dress goods and trimmings, very cheap, from bankrupt importer's sale at B. Lowenstein & Bros. 3t

JOB PRINTING.—Messrs. Dalton and Price, under the Commercial Hotel, Jefferson street, are turning out as creditable specimens of job printing as can be found anywhere in the city. They employ competent workmen, are careful, and spare no efforts to please. Anything in the way of cards, circulars, bill heads, letter heads, hand bills, etc., executed at short notice.

PAINFUL ACCIDENT AT THE RACE COURSE.—Yesterday morning, while being exercised on the race course, the racer General Rousseau fell with his rider, a negro boy, breaking the latter's leg. The horse was not injured, and afterward galloped over the track four or five times. The boy was properly cared for.

AVALANCHE JOB OFFICE.—We are prepared to supply the public with job printing of all kinds at the lowest cash price. Our assortment of types, papers, etc., cannot be excelled, and we pay strict attention to orders. Those having job printing would do well to call and examine our lists of prices, as we can certainly please them. tf

Mr. Ed. Crowell, clerk at Larry Harmstad & Co.'s, corner Main and Madison streets, has just returned from New Orleans, having effected arrangements to receive the earliest fruits, strawberries, etc. A supply of the latter arrived yesterday, and persons desiring the freshest and best, in any quantity, should give him a call.

NORFOLK AND MEMPHIS.—We were pleased to meet, last Friday, Mr. Wm. A. Prince, a prominent commission merchant of Norfolk, Virginia. He represents large capital and enterprise, and is here to consult with our business men in regard to direct trade with Norfolk.

PERSONAL.—We had the pleasure yesterday of meeting Captain W. A. Ferring, Clerk of the County Court of Mississippi county, Arkansas. The gallant Captain won his title and lost a leg in the Confederate army, where he distinguished himself.

Ladies wanting pretty and cheap bonnets, should call on Miss N. English, No. 230 Main street. Chip hats, new shape, fifty cents; trimmed hats, latest style, one dollar. Ladies, remember the number, 230 Main street, up stairs.

LADIES' PEARL—*John Shirley Ward, Editor.*—The May number of this valuable Southern Eclectic is before us, and is replete with foreign and home literature, and contains many pearls worthy to be cherished in the literary or family circle. It bids fair so far to be a success.

Dolbear's Commercial College, 230 Main street, open the entire year. Classes in writing, arithmetic, bookkeeping, and phonography, day and night.

SCHOOL PICNIC.—We learn that the children belonging to St. Peter's Sunday School will have their annual picnic in Chelsea on Tuesday, May 5th.

Murray and Ridgely, merchant tailors, 31 Madison street, have received a well selected stock of cloths, cassimeres and vestings, which for style and quality, cannot be surpassed in this or any other city. 1m

A fine assortment of ladies' lisle and cotton hosiery, at exceedingly low prices, have been received at Herzog & Brother's, 316½ Main street.

New style of prints at B. Lowenstein & Bros. 3t

TRAVELERS.—The most secure trunks and valises only at the factory, 352 Main street.

Fall stock of English, French and German dress goods at Howell, Wood & Co.'s, 332 Main street. 3t

Our damaged stock of dry goods must be closed out within thirty days. RICE & ENGEL,
1w 203 Main street.

Striped silks, just received by A. Seessel & Son, No. 259 Main street. 1w

The Chinese straw hat at Leidy & Co's, 269 Main street, opposite the Square. 6t

New lace points, from bankrupt importer's sale, at less than gold prices, at B. Lowenstein & Bros. 3t

Silk sacques, of the latest style, just received at Herzog's.

Pittsburg and Kentucky coal and gas coke. Brown & Jones, office 247 Second street. tf

Remember, Hesse & Co's stock of damaged goods must be sold without regard to price or value, at 234 Main street. tf

A large stock of dress goods, from bankrupt importer's sale, at low prices, at B. Lowenstein & Bros. 3t

Plain grenadines, at twenty-five cents per yard, at Howell Wood & Co.'s, Southern Palace. 3t

Fancy trimmings, of all the latest styles, just arrived, at A Seessel & Son. 1w

An examination of stock incurs no obligations to purchase at Howell, Wood & Co.'s, 332 Main street. 3t

We will sell our damaged stock regardless of cost or value. Hesse & Co, 234 Main street. tf

Sole-leather trunks and valises at 352 Main street.

New checked silks, very cheap, at B. Lowenstein & Bros. 3t

RIVER NEWS.

DAILY AVALANCHE OFFICE,
SUNDAY, April 26.

BOATS LEAVING TO-DAY.

Belle Lee	LOUISVILLE	5 p.m
Great Republic	NEW ORLEANS	10 a.m
Dexter	NEW ORLEANS	5 p.m

BUSINESS—WEATHER—RIVERS.

The weather during the day was inclement, but toward evening it began to clear up. The river here has risen three inches in the past twenty-four hours, ending at six p.m., and is now within fourteen inches of the high water mark of 1862. The river at Cairo is falling rapidly, and it will certainly come to a stand here by to-morrow. The Cumberland and Tennessee rivers are falling rapidly. At St. Louis the river is receding steadily. The Ohio is falling from Pittsburg to Cairo, with nine feet in the canal and seven feet on the falls. The Arkansas is falling, with seven feet in the channel from Little Rock out. White river is bank full, but falling at the head.

ARRIVALS.

Steamer Rubicon, St. Louis.
" Minnie, Arkansas River.
" Dora, New Orleans.
" Victor No. 2, Haile's Point.

DEPARTURES.

Steamer Rubicon, Vicksburg.
" Minnie, St. Louis.
" Belle St. Louis, St. Louis.
" Clifton, Cincinnati.
" Liberty No. 2, White river.
" Dora, Cincinnati.
" Victor No. 2, Haile's Point.

BOATS IN PORT.

Celeste, Des Arc.

MISCELLANEOUS.

The wharf presented rather a gloomy appearance yesterday, with little movement in freights, and few arrivals and departures.

The Rubicon passed down for Vicksburg yesterday with a splendid trip as usual.

The Clifton and Dora cleared for Cincinnati at five p.m. The Clifton had 300 bales of cotton and some old iron.

The Minnie, from the Arkansas river, passed up for St. Louis at five p.m.

The Belle St. Louis backed out for St. Louis with a fair passenger trip.

The Liberty No. 2 cleared for White river with a splendid passenger and freight trip.

The stern-wheel steamer Starlight was burned at Algiers Thursday morning, and was entirely consumed. She was owned by Captains Frank and Ben Davidson, of Cincinnati, and was insured for $12,000 in the Boatman's, Queen City, Eureka, Enterprise, Crescent, Germania, Citizens' and Merchants' Insurance Companies of that city.

The Mollie Able was over due last evening from New Orleans, and probably passed up in the night for St. Louis.

The mammoth and palatial steamer Great Republic, Captain Donaldson, will leave the wharf this morning at ten a.m. for New Orleans. Captain Sam Barr, Junior, does the honors of the office.

The Silver Moon will be in port to-day from Cincinnati, and leave on Wednesday with a return trip.

The fine steamer Celeste, Captain Reese Pritchard, will leave the wharf on Monday at five p.m. for all points on the Arkansas. She is the regular Monday New Orleans mail packet. Mr. Lane is her purser.

The Mary Irwin is due from the Arkansas.

The Belle Lee, Captain McGill, will leave the wharf to day at four p.m. for Louisville.

The Dexter was over due last night, bound for New Orleans.

The Groesbeck, Bismark and Swallow are due from New Orleans.

The upper streams are still on the decline. At Cairo, on Friday morning, the river commenced falling rapidly. This will be good news for the planters, who are retarded from planting on account of the high water. The river here will probably come to a stand by this evening. The Ohio and tributaries are falling rapidly, as is also the upper Mississippi. The river is nearly over its banks.

The Richmond will pass down on Tuesday for New Orleans.

The Belle Memphis, Captain Crane, is the regular Monday packet for St. Louis, leaving at five p.m.

The Commercial is the regular Tuesday White river mail packet. She will be found at the wharf Monday morning, to receive.

The Alaska is due from the Ohio.

The Mollie Hambleton is the regular Tuesday St. Francis river packet.

The superb steamer Natoma, Captain James Lee, is the regular Monday packet for Friar's Point and Moon Lake, leaving at five p.m. Billy Fields is her agreeable and accommodating clerk.

The Cincinnati *Enquirer*, of Friday, criticizes the late ordinance as regards steamboats, as follows:

"It appears by the Memphis papers that there is an ordinance in that city prohibitive of steamboats keeping their passengers beyond three hours after their arrival, unless they take out licenses the same as hotel keepers, and, owing to complaints from suffering hotel keepers, it is to be rigidly enforced.

"The assumption of such a right is simply ridiculous. Steamboats navigate the waters of the United States from free State or local jurisdiction, and, by the payment of a Government license to carry passengers, are entitled to carry them where and howsoever they please. The ordinance could not stand the simplest test in law, and if not tested and upset, its effect will be injurious only to the city, as it will tend to drive steamboats away from there, and consequently their traffic. Memphis had better reconsider the matter, and not bite off its nose to spite its face."

We agree with the *Enquirer*, and contend that the Superintendent of the Metropolitan Police has no authority to enforce the ordinance, and believe it was promulgated through sinister motives. The steamboats doing business at the wharf do not board passengers, or to any extent, so far as we know, operate against the interests of our hotels. Steamboatmen, as a class, are a liberal-hearted set of men, and do business on the square.

Captain John B. Davis has closed the mail contract for carrying the mail between here and Vicksburg, and has given bonds to perform his part of the contract.

The Dexter, Captain Holcroft, leaves to-day at five p.m. for New Orleans. Messrs. Smith and Arthur Fields are her clerks.

MONETARY.

DAILY AVALANCHE OFFICE,
SUNDAY, April 26, 1868.

The money market for the week closed easier, with little animation exhibited. Currency is in fair supply. Exchange is steady, buying on the East at ⅛c off, and selling at ⅜c premium.

GOLD—Peevish, buying at 138@138¼, and selling over the counter at 140@140¼.

SILVER—Buying at 128@129 and selling at 130@131.

CITY SCRIP—Firm and in demand, with little on the market. Dealers are offering 65c and holding at 67@68c.

COUNTY WARRANTS—Quiet, buying at 55@58c, and selling at 60c.

POLICE SCRIP—Steady, buying at 83@84, and selling at 86@87.

COMMERCIAL.

DAILY AVALANCHE OFFICE,
SUNDAY, April 26, 1868.

Business in the general markets yesterday was inactive, with only a small trade doing in provisions and breadstuffs. The high stage of water along the bends has caused a considerable falling off of the trade from that quarter. The planters are also busily engaged in putting in their crops, and are only making purchases for pressing wants. The markets are well supplied, with prices steady and unchanged.

Cotton.

The market yesterday was quiet but firm, with few inquiries and limited offerings. The small stock on hand is controlled by speculators, who are holding in anticipation of further advances. We learned of a few light transactions during the day. One list of low middling changed hands at 29½c, ten bales middling at 31½c, and seven bales low middling at 30c. The market closed firm under the influence of the favorable cable advices, and holders asked prices within a half cent of New York rates. The Liverpool market closed firm, with sales for the day of 2,300 bales; uplands, 12⅞@12½d; Orleans, 13@13⅛d; uplands afloat, 13⅛d. Shipments from Bombay to the 4th instant, 59,000 bales. The New York market closed firm and active. Sales for the day, 3,000 bales; middlings, 33c; good and Orleans, 33½@34c. Sales for the week, 28,000 bales. Receipts for the week, 65,000 bales; exports, 16,700 bales. Stock on hand, 78,000 bales. Receipts for the week at all United States ports, 18,000 bales.

Cotton Statement.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE,
MEMPHIS, April 25, 1868.

Stock on hand Sept. 1, 1867		1,080
Received since yesterday	105	
Received previously	249,117	[illegible]
		250,302
Exported to-day	[illegible]	
Exported previously	[illegible]	[illegible]
Stock on hand and at presses		1,748
Receipts for the week		1,321
Exports for the week		[illegible]

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

NEW YORK MARKET.

NEW YORK, April 25.

Cotton a shade firmer; sales, 4,700 bales; uplands, 32½@33c. Rice quiet; Carolina, 10¾@11¼c. Coffee firm. Sugar firm; Cuba, 10¾@12½c. Molasses steady. Flour quiet and a shade easier. Wheat very firm and quiet. Corn dull; Western, $1 15@1 18¼.

NEW YORK MONEY MARKET.

NEW YORK, April 25.

Money easy. Sterling dull, 9¾@10. Gold, 39@39¾. Exports of gold for the week, $1,867,300. New Tennessee's, 67¾.

NEW YORK DRY GOODS MARKET.

NEW YORK, April 25.

The dry goods market is very dull, but firmer for heavy brown sheetings. Indian Head, 18½c. Prints steady, 14@15c.

ST. LOUIS MARKET.

ST. LOUIS, April 25.

Tobacco and flour held unchanged. Wheat, winter, $2 60@2 80. Corn, 83@87c. Oats, 70@73c. Rye, $1 82@1 85. Barley, $2 60@2 70. Pork, $28 00. Bacon, shoulders, 13¾@13½c; clear sides, 17¾@18c. Lard, 18c.

NEW ORLEANS MARKET.

NEW ORLEANS, April 25.

Cotton active; middling, 33c. Sales, 3,500 bales. Receipts, 1,194; exports, 2,090. Sterling, 52¼@54¼. New York sight, ⅛c premium. Gold, 140¼. Sugar and molasses nominally unchanged. Flour easy; superfine, $9 25. Corn firm, $1 00@1 02. Oats firm, 75c. Hay unchanged. Pork tending upward, at $29 00. Bacon firm; shoulders, 13¼@13¾c; clear rib, 17c; clear 18c. Lard tending upward; tierce, 19c; keg, 20c.

CINCINNATI MARKET.

CINCINNATI, April 25.

Flour and wheat firm and unchanged. Corn higher, 91@94c. Oats, 80c. Rye, $2 10. Tobacco firm. Mess pork, $28 00. Lard, 18c. Bulk meats, 12¼@15c. Bacon, shoulders, 13¼c; clear rib sides, 16¼@16¾c; clear, 17¼@17½c; sugar cured hams, 19¼@20c. Butter, 30@40c. Eggs, 21@22c. Groceries firm.

STEAMBOATS

FOR ST. LOUIS.

Memphis and St. Louis Packet Company.
For Hickman, Columbus, Cairo and St. Louis.
Belle Memphis..........Musselman, master
This fine passenger packet will leave as above MONDAY, April 27, at 5 p.m.
apr26 FLEM. CALVERT, Superintendent.

FOR CINCINNATI.

Memphis and Cincinnati Packet Company.
For Cairo, Evansville, Louisville and Cincinnati.
Silver Moon..........Merrilles, master
This elegant passenger steamer will leave as above WEDNESDAY, April 29, at 5 p.m.
LARRY HARMSTAD & CO., Agents,
Corner Main and Madison streets,
apr26 Or at City Wharfboat, foot of Monroe.

FOR NEW ORLEANS.

Regular Memphis and New Orleans Packet.
For Vicksburg, Natchez, New Orleans and the Bends.
Dexter..........Montgomery, master
This elegant passenger steamer will leave for the above THIS DAY, April 26, at 5 p.m.
J. E. MONTGOMERY & CO.,
apr26 Star Wharfboat.

Regular Memphis and New Orleans Packet.
For Vicksburg, Natchez, New Orleans and the Bends.
Great Republic..........Donaldson, master
This splendid passenger packet will leave for above on THIS DAY, April 26, at 10 a.m.
LARRY HARMSTAD & CO., Agents,
Corner Main and Madison streets,
apr26 Or at the City Wharfboat, foot of Monroe.

FOR WHITE RIVER.

U. S. Mail.
Regular Memphis and White River Tuesday Packet.
For Helena, Duvall's Bluff, Augusta, Des Arc and Jacksonport.
Commercial..........Ashford, master
This fine passenger packet will leave as above TUESDAY, April 28, at 5 p.m.
LEVY & MILLER, Agents,
5 Jefferson street.
Captain SAM SHOCK and JAMES SAYERS, passenger agents, Office Overton Hotel. apr26

U. S. Mail.
Regular Memphis and White River Tuesday Packet.
For Helena, Duvall's Bluff, Augusta, Des Arc and Jacksonport.
Commercial..........Ashford, master
This fine passenger steamer will leave as above on TUESDAY, April 28, at 5 p.m.
LARRY HARMSTAD & CO., Agents,
Corner of Main and Madison streets,
apr26 Or at the City Wharfboat, foot of Monroe.

FOR FRIAR'S POINT.

Regular Semi Weekly Packet
For Horn Lake, Commerce, Helena, Delta, Moon Lake and Friar's Point.
Natoma..........Lee, master
This commodious side-wheel steamer will depart as above MONDAY, April 27, at 5 p.m.
VINSON & DONAHUE, Agents,
apr26 254 Front street, up stairs.

FOR ARKANSAS RIVER.

U. S. Mail Line.
Regular Memphis and Arkansas River Packet.
For Pine Bluff, Little Rock and Fort Smith, Direct
Celeste..........Pritchard, master
This new and splendid passenger steamer leaves MONDAY, April 27, at 5 p.m.
JAS. T. BOURNE & CO., Agents
apr24 12 Jefferson street.

FOR LOUISVILLE.

Regular Memphis and Louisville Packet.
For Cairo, Evansville and Louisville.
Belle Lee..........McGill, master
This splendid packet will leave as above on SUNDAY, April 26, at 5 p.m.
J. E. MONTGOMERY & CO.,
apr25 Star Wharfboat.

FOR ST. FRANCIS RIVER.

Regular Tuesday St. Francis River Packet

FOR Helena, Marianna, Madison and Wittsburg and all way landings, MOLLIE HAMBLETON, T. B. BOWMAN, Master; SAM. C. PAINE SHELL and CLARK, Clerks, will leave Memphis EVERY TUESDAY, at 5 o'clock, p. m.
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Corner Main and Madison streets,
ja21 And City Warf-boat, foot of Monroe street.

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GLEANER..........Blaisdell, master

One of the above named boats will leave Memphis EACH MONDAY AND THURSDAY during the season for Little Rock, and there make close connections with the following boats, (belonging to the ... Company):

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VAN BUREN..........Smith, master
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FORT SMITH..........Rowland, master

The latter boats were built expressly for the trade, and are now running to Dardanelle; and as soon as the water will permit, will extend their trips to Fort Smith and Fort Gibson.

Shippers and the traveling public may rely upon the above schedule; and should any case of business require it, an other boat will be added, making three boats from Memphis each week. Feeling assured that increased facilities will bring an increase of business, the proprietors of this line are determined to do their part.

JOHN D. ADAMS, Superintendent.
JAMES T. BOURNE & CO., Agents,
No. 12 Jefferson street,
THOMAS B. KIRNAN,
General Passenger Agent.
MART. WALT & CO., Agents,
feb25 No. 171 Front street.

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Passengers and Shippers can rely on this route the year round.

JOHN B. DAVIS, Superintendent.
LEVY & MILLER,
General Freight and Ticket Agents,
april 5 Jefferson street.

DR. JAMES,

FORMERLY of James' Lock Hospital, Custom House street, New Orleans, (established in 1850), and for the last seven years located in Chicago, and celebrated throughout the country for the successful treatment of PRIVATE DISEASES, can be confidentially consulted at his office and parlors, 91 and 93 Randolph street, corner of Dearborn street, or by letter Postoffice Drawer 5865.

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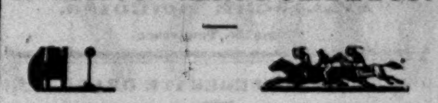
MEMPHIS

RACING ASSOCIATION



SPRING MEETING---APRIL 27

FIRST DAY—MONDAY, APRIL 27.

First Race—Stake; purse $200; dash of one mile, for two year olds; two or more to fill. To name and close on the 1st day of April, 1868.

Second Race—Stake; purse $300; mile heats, three in five; free for all; three or more to fill. To name and close on the 1st day of April, 1868.

SECOND DAY.

First Race—Purse $250; mile heats, for three year olds; entrance $15, p. p.; entrance money to go to second horse.
Second Race—Purse $300; two mile heats; free for all.

THIRD DAY.

First Race—Gayoso House Sweepstakes, for three year olds; dash of two miles; entrance $20, p. p.; entrance money to go to second horse; Gayoso House to add $300; three or more to fill. To name and close on the 1st day of April, 1868.
Second Race—Purse $250; mile heats; free for all.

FOURTH DAY.

First Race—Purse $300; mile heats, three in five; free for all.
Second Race—Purse $200; mile heats; free for all.

FIFTH DAY.

First Race—Purse $300; two mile heats; free for all.
Second Race—Purse $250; mile heats; free for all.

SIXTH DAY.

First Race—Purse $500; three mile heats; free for all.
Second Race—Purse $200; mile heats, for beaten horses, to be handicapped by the Association.

JOHN DONOVAN, President.
A. D. GIBSON, Secretary apr

THE following Stakes over the Memphis Association Course closed on the 8th instant, with the following entries:

First Day—Monday, April 27, 1868.

FIRST RACE—Dash of one mile, for two year olds; Purse $200; two or more to fill.

P. MITCHELL enters br c Prehaps, two years old, by Don Juan, dam by Stale. Dress—Red and white.
J. CROWLEY enters b f Unit, two years old, sire unknown; dam by imp Glencoe.
J. G. BALLENTINE enters b c, 2 years old, by West Australia; dam Iodine.

Same Day.

SECOND RACE—Mile heats; three in five; free for all; three or more to fill. Purse $300.

YANCY & GREENFIELD enters c c Transit, four years old, by Bleak Wind; dam Prairie Flower by imp Sovereign.
F. BISSICKS enters ch f Maggie Hunter, four years old, by Australian; dam Heads I Say, by Glencoe.
F. BISSICKS enters b c Pat Malloy, three years old, by Lexington; dam Gloriana, by American Eclipse.
DUNCAN & MCMAHAN enter s f Viola, four years old, by Jack Malone; dam Second Wagner.
P. MITCHELL enters bk h Pat Cleburne, five years old, by Hiawatha; dam by imp Emu. Dress—Red and white.
E. A. SMITH enters g m Nelly Gwynne, six years old, by imp Bonnie Scotland; dam Gray Alice, by Chorister.
E. A. SMITH enters ch h Rochester, four years old, by imp Bonnie Scotland; dam Lady Lancaster, by Monarch.

Third Day.

FIRST RACE—Dash two miles; entrance $20. p p; for three year olds; Gayoso House to add $300; three or more to fill. Entrance money to go to second horse.

M. C. COSTILLO enters b c Seagull, three years old, by Bill Cheatham; dam Swannie, by Child Harold. Dress—Green and white.
M. C. COSTILLO enters b f, three years old, by Shelby; dam Paricine, by imp Tranby. Dress—Green and white.
F. BISSICKS enters b c Pat Malloy, three years old, by Lexington; dam Gloriana, by American Eclipse.
F. BISSICKS enters b c Hazard, three years old, by Lexington; dam Heads I Say, by Glencoe.
P. MITCHELL enters blk c Elgin, three years old, by Shelby, by imp Emu. Dress—Red and white.
E. A. SMITH enters ch f Columbia, three years old, by imp Bonnie Scotland; dam Young Fashion, by Monarch. Dress—Blue and white.
E. A. SMITH enters ch f Fannie Moore, three years old, by imp Bonnie Scotland; dam Adelia, by imp Albion. Dress—Blue and white.

A. D. GIBSON,
apr19 Secretary Memphis Association Course.

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Election Notice.

IN accordance with an act of the Legislature, passed December 3, 1867, and an ordinance passed by the Board of Aldermen, April 17, and approved by the Mayor April 18, 1868, the following ordinance will be submitted to the qualified voters of the city, at an

Election to be held on Thursday, the 30th instant

A list of Judges and Clerks, and places for voting, will be announced by the Sergeant-at-Arms, by whom the election will be held.

E. McDAVITT, Acting Mayor.
April 19, 1868.

TIME BONDS.

Be it ordained by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the city of Memphis, as follows:

SECTION 1. That for the purpose of funding the debt of the city of Memphis, the Mayor is hereby authorized to issue the Bonds of the city bearing six per cent. interest to the amount of one million dollars, having thirty years to run, and payable either in the cities of New York or Memphis, at the option of the Mayor.

SEC. 2. Said Bonds shall be issued in denominations of $500 and $1,000, at the discretion of the Mayor, with coupons for interest, payable semi-annually; and when so issued shall be used by the Mayor for the payment of any of the due debts of the city.

SEC. 3. In order to test the sense of the qualified voters of the city as to the issuance of the above Bonds, under an act of the Legislature, passed December 3, 1867, the Mayor shall, after giving ten days' notice in the daily newspapers of the city of the time and place of the election, submit this ordinance to the qualified voters of the city. Those voting for the issuance of said Bonds shall indorse upon their tickets, "Bonds;" and those voting against, "No Bonds." And should a majority of the qualified voters vote in favor of the proposition, then this ordinance to be of full force and effect, and said Bonds shall be issued as provided in sections 1 and 2.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen April 17, and approved April 18, 1868.
E. McDAVITT, Acting Mayor.
Attest—L. R. RICHARDS, Register. apr9

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General Superintendent,
J. C. LOPEZ,
General Freight Agent
apr23 Memphis and Charleston Railroad.

Memphis City Schools.

THE ANNUAL ORAL EXAMINATION OF THE CITY SCHOOLS will commence on MONDAY, April 27, and be conducted in the following order:
Monday morning, commencing at nine o'clock, the Schools in the Exchange Building
Monday Evening—The Schools in Chelsea.
Tuesday—The Schools on Alabama street.
Wednesday—The Schools on Linden street.
Thursday Morning—The Schools on Adams street.
Thursday Evening—The Schools on Court street.
W. Z. MITCHELL,
apr2 Superintendent of City Schools

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FULL assortment of Building and Finishing Lumber, Flooring, Ceiling, Weatherboarding, Shingles, Laths, Sash, Doors and Blinds. All very low for cash. Cedar Posts from twenty-five to fifty cents each.
M. B. & J. W. COCHRAN,
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For Sale.

$6,000 CASH will buy the Lot, Store and Fixtures; also, a good assortment of Dry Goods, Groceries, Queensware, etc., suitable for the trade. Good business established. Perfectly satisfactory reasons for selling. Twenty-five thousand dollars trade annually. For particulars address SCHURMAN & WILSON,
april Indian Bay, Arkansas.

Notice.

To whom it may Concern.

IN the County Court of Shelby county, Tennessee, on the first Monday of May, 1868, I will apply for the letters of administration on the estate of J. R. Taylor, deceased, in the County Court of said county.
april S. ANDERSON.

To all whom it may Concern.

AT the May term of the County Court I will apply for the guardianship of Claudie Emma Mendenall.
april SAMUEL MENDENALL.

DAILY MEMPHIS AVALANCHE

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AVALANCHE BUILDING,

Memphis, Tennessee.

THE CONFEDERATE DEAD.

BY HENRY TIMROD.

Sleep sweetly in your humble graves,
Sleep, martyrs of a fallen cause;
Though yet no marble column craves
The pilgrim here to pause.

In seeds of laurels in the earth
The blossom of your fame is blown;
And, somewhere, waiting for its birth,
The shaft is in the stone!

Meanwhile, behalf the tardy years
Which keep in trust your storied tombs,
Behold your sisters bring their tears,
And these memorial blooms.

Small tributes! but your shades will smile
More proudly on those wreaths to-day,
Than when some cannon-moulded pile
Shall overlook this bay.

Stoop, angels, hither from the skies!
There is no holier spot of ground
Than where defeated valor lies
By mourning beauty crowned!

THE CONFEDERATE DEAD.

BY REV. T. F. WINKLER.

The sea-born city mourns, but not in shame,
Her heroes laid in state beneath the dome
Of skies and solemn woods. She chants their fame
Because they fought and fell for her, for home
And liberty. Rest, rest, ye glorious brave!
While we with tears and flowers bedeck your patriot graves.

We cannot live forgetting how ye died—
The cheek of youth that wore its velvet bloom,
The brow of manhood in its strength and pride,
The hoary h[ead] ... devoted to the tomb!
Ye warriors, free as were our winds and waves,
With tears and flowers we deck your sacrificial graves.

Could ye a dearer gift than life bestow?
Sires, husbands, sons, who braved the battle shock,
And gladly gave the crimson tide to flow,
As shepherds of the people for your flock?
Ye fought, ye died, that we might not be slaves,
Alas, what slight return we scatter on your graves!

Frail emblems wreathe around your holy shrines;
But Love, for which ye bore the mortal stroke,
Bids Nature plant her monumental pines,
And rear her dark green mounds of Southern oak,
And all her swelling tears and voices craves,
Instead of grief-wet flowers, to consecrate your graves.

A happier age may bid the pile arise,
With trophied symbol and with martial name;
A juster world invest you with the prize
Of palm and plaudit in the lists of fame;
The care that guards your homes, the debt that saves
Your living blood, we pledge, in flowers, upon your graves.

THE CONFEDERATE DEAD.

BY MRS. C. A. BALL.

No orphans mourn, no mothers weep,
No sister's tears are shed;
Over the graves where calmly sleep
Our loved and martyred dead.
But woman's heart a blessing breathes,
And woman's hands are twining wreathes
Above each lowly bed.

And flowers of summer's sunshine born,
In robes of beauty dressed,
Are brought by woman to adorn
The soldier's place of rest.
Dear was the cause for which they bled,
And honored still shall be our dead,
Our noblest, and our best.

Then come, and o'er each buried head
Your floral offerings cast;
Meet tribute to the gallant dead,
Who to their rest have past.
And soon above our countless slain,
Who long have all unhonored lain,
Shall monumental marble tell
How gloriously they fought and fell;
And the brave boys we loved so well
Will have their meed at last.

LEGAL.

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Decisions of the Supreme Court of Tennessee, at Brownsville, April Term, '68.

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(Reported for the Avalanche, by Judge R. R. Heath, of the Memphis Bar.)

B. F. Harrison vs. A. G. Hallum.

As to the defendants, who are executors of Marshall's will, the bill shows no ground of jurisdiction. The legacy in their hands was equitable assets, which cannot be reached by execution at law against the legatee, nor by bill in chancery otherwise than upon a judgment at law and return of *nulla bona* to execution upon the judgment; or upon some of the grounds prescribed by law, which authorize an original chancery attachment; or upon the ground prescribed by the Code S., 4288; or the fraudulent conveyance of properties to defeat creditors.

Upon common law principles a judgment creditor cannot subject the equitable personal properties of his debtor until after the exhaustion of the ordinary legal remedy, which is the execution of *fieri facias* and the return of the execution *nulla bona*.

The judgment, execution and *nulla bona* are indispensable elements of a bill in equity to reach the equitable personal properties of the debtor.

Sometimes a bill is brought by a judgment creditor to reach and subject legal assets, real or personal, of the debtor, such assets as are subject to execution at law. Such bill rests on two elements—one a lien on the properties sought to be reached; the other an inequitable impediment in the way of proper enforcement of the execution. The notion is, that the creditor has no right to proceed against the properties by bill in chancery unless he has a lien on them, and such lien is given, as to personal properties, by the execution only. Therefore, the execution must be current at the time of filing the bill, otherwise as to personal properties, there is no lien.

But in addition to the lien, there must be, in order to sustain a bill of this kind, to subject legal personal assets to execution at law, an impediment of some kind in the way of the enforcement of the execution. A fraudulent conveyance of the properties by the debtor is an instance of the impediment spoken of. If the properties sought to be so subjected are real, the judgment gives the lien, and, perhaps, no current execution is necessary to sustain a bill of this character to subject real estate covered by an inequitable impediment.

To sustain a bill of the kind first mentioned, that is to subject equitable personal assets upon a judgment, execution and *nulla bona*, no lien is essential and none ordinarily exists. By the Code, however, S. 4,286, the creditor may fix a lien on such equitable assets, in advance of the filing of his bill, by registering a memorandum of his judgment in the proper county and following up the return of his execution with his bill for the purpose within the prescribed time. Without such registered memorandum, the lien is given by and begins with the filing of the bill.

Again, equitable properties, real or personal, may be reached without judgment at law, by means of an attachment in chancery. In this case the bill must rest upon some of the prescribed by statute which authorize the issuance of a chancery original attachment. Without such ground such bill is fatally defective on demurrer.

Again, a creditor at large, that is, a creditor without judgment or decree, may, under the Code, S. 4,288, maintain a bill in chancery, to subject the legal or equitable properties of his debtor, which the latter has conveyed to another for the purpose of hindering and defrauding his creditors. Without such statute that bill could not be maintained until judgment or decree first obtained.

Thus it is, in order to subject the legacy in the hands of the executors, which is equitable personalty, the bill in chancery must show,

1st. A judgment, execution and *nulla bona*; or,

2d. One of the grounds for which an original attachment in Chancery may issue, prescribed by the statute law; or,

3d. A conveyance or device made as to the property sought to be subjected, to hinder and defraud creditors.

The present bill does not contain the elements or ground necessary to bring it within either of the classes of the bills mentioned.

The bill must therefore be dismissed as to the defendants, who are the executors of the will of Marshall. But as to the other defendants, the judgment debtors, and the fraudulent grantees of such debtors, the bill will be retained; the objection that the bill as to the defendants is multifarious, is not well taken.

It is altogether proper, where there are several judgment debtors, and one of them has made a fraudulent conveyance to one grantee, and another has made a fraudulent conveyance to another grantee, to unite all these debtors and their several grantees in one common bill.

The one judgment and the one object of the bill—the satisfaction of the judgment and the common purpose to defraud the creditors—constitute a quite sufficient link to take the bill out of the objection of multifariousness.

There is nothing in the objection that all the beneficiaries entitled to the proceeds of this judgment are not made parties to this bill. It was enough to make Harrison alone, the plaintiff in the judgment, sole complainant. The judgment was founded on a note made payable to Harrison, who was commissioner to sell lands and slaves, under a decree in a proceeding by the heirs and distributees of Nancy Hallum, deceased, to sell the estate descended from her to them. Harrison sold the properties, and received from the purchaser the note on which the judgment is founded.

The heirs and distributees who are entitled to the funds which Harrison may collect, are not necessary parties to this bill.

If he chose to file the bill for the benefit of such as might choose to become parties to it, it is a matter of no consequence to the defendants whether all are brought in or not. Harrison is the party with whom the debtors have to deal. If they pay him, or are made to pay him the money they owe, they are discharged from liability to the beneficiaries and upon their note and the judgment.

We have looked into the case of Johnson vs. Brown, 2d Humphreys, with a view to the point suggested that the bill ought to be here finally dismissed as to all the defendants. The ruling in that case is proper, under the practice as then existing in chancery, and, in a like case, we might probably be disposed to follow it. The present case presents obvious differences. And, under the latter policy of our Courts, to reverse causes, and dismiss parties for merits only, we concluded to permit this cause to be retained as to these parties and meritorious equities, and sent back to the Court below for further proceedings as to them.

Dismiss the bill as to the defendants, who are executors of Marshall, and remand this cause to the Chancery Court for such further proceedings as may be suitable.

HENRY G. SMITH, Judge.

Wallace & Ringal, and Chappell, Bruce & McIntyre, vs. M. W. Galloway & Son.

The opinion is delivered by Judge Smith: The court is of opinion, where one of the partners of a firm resides in the State, and the other is a non-resident, the non-residence of the latter is not a ground on which an original attachment bill, in chancery, will lie, in favor of a creditor of the firm against the partners and effects of the firm.

Whether upon a firm debt, the creditor may have his bill against the non-resident partner, and attach his interest in the firm's assets, and bring in the resident partner, for the purpose of ascertaining the interest of the non-resident partner, need not now be decided. The reasoning of the learned Judge would seem to indicate that in his opinion this could not be successfully attempted.

The demurrer of the defendants, which was sustained below, is sustained here, and the bill is dismissed.

Joseph H. Gardner, administrator, vs. Felix W. Haney and Lafayette Mc. Haney.

The plaintiffs intestate had recovered several judgments, before a Justice of the Peace, against one of the defendants, which were stayed by the other defendant, the aggregate of which judgments was $483; and his administrator brought an action of debt on these judgments; the defendants demurred:

First, For that the action of debt would not lie on such judgments. Second, For that protest was not made of them. Held by the court—Smith, Judge, delivering the opinion—that neither cause of demurrer is well taken; the plaintiff has an election to bring his action of debt, or resort to a *scire facias;* and this as well against the stayor as the original debtor; and there is no necessity, at common law, or under the Code, to make protest.

The demurrer is overruled, the judgment of the court below in favor of defendants is reversed, and the cause is remanded, with leave to defendants to plead over.

Holdmark vs. Molin.

This was an action of replevin to recover a filly. The Court held (Smith, Judge,) delivering the opinion—

First—If the sale was on condition, so as that the title to the filly was not to pass from Holdmark to Hardin, under whom Molin claimed, until Hardin had paid the price of the filly to Holdmark, and the price had never been paid, then the plaintiffs would be entitled to their verdict, so far as the verdict depended on this question; but if the sale was absolute and without reservation of title to Holdmark, when he sold to Hardin, then the verdict and judgment ought to be for defendant.

Second—That although the declarations of a party, in the possession of personal property, are evidence of the character of his possession, and his title, when offered against the vendee of the person making the declaration, still the Court cannot reverse the judgment of the Court below, for error, unless the exception set out the declarations sought to be given in evidence, so as to show they were material to the party offering them, and thus there was error.

Fourth—That the declarations of Hardin, as to his possession of and title to the filly, made *after* he had sold the filly and transferred the possession to Molin, were not evidence for the defendant.

All the exceptions of defendant being overruled, the judgment of the Circuit Court for plaintiff is by the Supreme Court affirmed.

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Attachment Suit.

W. P. Wright and Alva N. Wilcox vs. John Hilliard.

AFFIDAVIT for attachment having been made in this cause in pursuance of section 3455 of the Code of Tennessee, and attachment having been issued and returned by the proper officer, "levied, etc.," on the property of the defendant; it is therefore ordered, that said defendant appear at my office, in the city of Memphis, Tennessee, on or before the 25th day of May, 1868, and defend this suit, or the same will be taken as confessed and the case set for hearing ex parte, and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Memphis Avalanche.

apr23 JAMES HALL, J. P.

Attachment Notice.

W. P. Wright vs. John Hilliard.

THE defendant in the above entitled cause will take notice that an attachment has been sued out against him, upon the grounds that he is a non-resident of the State of Tennessee, and returned by the proper officer, "levied, etc.;" and that the case is set for hearing at my office in the city of Memphis on the 25th day of May, 1868, at ten o'clock a.m., when and where he can appear and defend said action, or else the case will be proceeded with ex parte; and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four weeks in the Memphis Daily Avalanche.

apr23 JAMES HALL, J. P.

Administratrix's Notice.

LETTERS of administration upon the estate of David Jameson, deceased, having been granted to me by the County Court of Shelby county, Tennessee, at its April term, 1868, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said estate to pay such indebtedness to me; and I hereby notify all persons having claims against said estate to present them, properly authenticated, within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred.

LUCIE A. JAMESON,
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BY virtue of a deed of trust made to me as trustee on the 18th day of December, 1865, by B. T. Harrell, and which is duly registered in the Register's office of Tipton county, Tennessee, in record book P, pages 211, 212 and 213, and to which reference is here made, and in pursuance of the terms thereof, and in pursuance to a decree of the Chancery Court of Memphis, entered March 27, 1868, in the cause of B. T. Harrell vs. Susan Brown et al., I will,

On Friday, the 8th day of May, 1868,

Proceed to sell between the hours of eleven o'clock a.m. and 12 o'clock m., at public auction, in front of the Postoffice in Memphis, Tennessee, to the highest bidder for cash the following real estate, described in said trust deed as follows: A certain tract of land situate, lying and being in the county of Tipton and State of Tennessee, situate on the banks of the Mississippi river, adjoining the lands of John Trigg on the north, John and E. S. Slam on the west, and Potter's land on the east, and Samuel Benton's on the south, containing six hundred acres, it being the tract of land sold by Susan Brown to B. T. Harrell on the 18th of December, 1865; said deed of trust also conveys with the land all cattle and hogs, corn and cotton crops on the place, and all farming utensils and mechanics' tools, which will also be sold at the same time. There is a comfortable dwelling house, also other outhouses and buildings on the place, and is known as the plantation formerly belonging to Bedford Brown, Esq. The sale will be positive, as it is made for the payment of a balance due on the purchase notes.

Equity of redemption is waived. The title to said property is believed to be undisputed, but I will only sell and convey as trustee.

E. L. BELCHER.

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No. 2579—N. R. D.—In the Chancery Court of Memphis, Tennessee—Insolvent and Creditor's Notice—John Hallum, Administrator, de bonis non, of the estate of James H. Markham, deceased, vs. John H. Holt and wife et al.

IN this cause the insolvency of the estate of James H. Markham, deceased, has been suggested, the creditors thereof made parties defendant to this suit, whose names and places of residence are unknown, and an order entered directing publication to be made; it is therefore ordered, that they make their appearance herein at the Court House in the city of Memphis, Tennessee on or before the first Monday in June, 1868, and file and establish their claims against said estate, or the same will be forever barred and the cause set for hearing ex parte; and that a copy of this order be published once a week for three months in the Memphis Avalanche.

A copy—Attest. AUGUSTON ALSTON,
By R. J. BLACK, Deputy C. & M. Clerk and Master.
HALLUM, CHALMERS & TURLEY, Solicitors for complainant.
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Notice to Creditors.

No. 2521—Chancery Court of Memphis—John C. Lanier vs the Gayoso Savings Institution et al.

IT is ordered by the Court in this cause, that the creditors of the Gayoso Savings Institution do immediately come in and have themselves made parties to this suit, and file their claims with the Clerk and Master, with proper proof of the same, that they may receive their pro rata share of the assets of said Bank for distribution among the creditors; and that a copy of this order be published in the Memphis Appeal, Avalanche and Post, until the further orders of this Court.

A copy—Attest. AUGUSTON ALSTON,
By BENJ. COLMAN, Deputy C. & M. Clerk and Master. mh7

Administrator's Settlement in County Court of Shelby County.

To the Heirs and Creditors of E. Stephenson, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that I have filed my settlement of the estate of said E. Stephenson, deceased, with the Clerk of said Court, and that I will apply for confirmation of said settlement at the May term, 1868, of said Court, to be held on the first Monday of said month in the Court House in the city of Memphis.

April 7, 1868. J. W. DICKEY, Administrator.
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Administrator's Notice.

LETTERS of administration upon the estate of William Haney, deceased, having been granted to me by the County Court of Shelby county, at its March term, 1868, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said estate to pay such indebtedness to me, and I hereby notify all persons having claims against said estate to present them, properly authenticated, within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred.

R. W. BROOKS,
mh29 Administrator of Wm. Haney, deceased.

Administratrix's Settlement in the County Court of Shelby County.

To the Heirs and Creditors of Watt C. Bradford, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that I have filed my annual and final settlement of the estate of Watt C. Bradford, deceased, with the Clerk of said Court, and that I will apply for confirmation of said settlement at the May term, 1868, of said Court, to be held on the first Monday of said month in the Court House in the city of Memphis.

apr7 C. A. SCHAFER, Administratrix.

Trustee's Sale.

UNDER and by virtue of a deed of trust executed by H. D. Sherman to me, (R. Gammon) to secure the payment of a note for the sum of two thousand dollars ($2,000), payable to H. L. Elam, dated Memphis, November 16, 1867, duly recorded in the Register's office of Shelby county, State of Tennessee, in Record book No. 62, page 400, to which reference is hereby made, I will, on

Thursday, the 30th day of April, 1868,

At the late residence of H. D. Sherman, situated in Shelby county, about nine (9) miles from the city of Memphis, near the Horn Lake road, proceed to sell, between the hours of ten a.m. and four p.m., to the highest bidder for cash, at public outcry, the following described property, as set forth in said deed of trust, for the payment of the debt therein mentioned, to-wit: Eight (8) stock of cattle, two (2) mules, one (1) horse, seven (7) milch cows, one (1) spring wagon and one (1) ox wagon.

mh31 R. GAMMON, Trustee.

Guardian's Settlement in County Court of Shelby County.

To the Friends and Creditors of W. T. Donelson.

NOTICE is hereby given that I have filed my settlement of the estate of W. T. Donelson with the Clerk of said Court, and that I will apply for confirmation of said settlement at the May term, 1868, of said Court, to be held on the first Monday of said month in the Court House in the city of Memphis.

Filed April 7, 1868. S. A. WILSON, Guardian.
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Guardian's Settlement in County Court of Shelby County.

To the Friends and Creditors of Heirs of Wm. P. Allen, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given, that I have filed my settlement of the estate of the said Heirs with the Clerk of said Court, and that I will apply for confirmation of said settlement at the May term, 1868, of said Court, to be held on the first Monday of said month in the Court House in the city of Memphis.

Filed April 4, 1868. MARY C. ALLEN, Guardian.
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Trustee's Sale.

UNDER and by virtue of a deed of trust to me executed and delivered on the 24th day of August, 1867, by T. J. Reasonover, and duly noted on pages 470, 471 and 472 of Record book No. 61, in the Register's office of Shelby county; therefore, to secure the indebtedness therein described, I shall,

On Thursday, the 7th day of May, 1868,

In front of the Greenlaw Block, at the door of the Chancery Court room, between the hours of ten a.m. and four p.m., sell to the highest bidder for cash, the following described real estate, to-wit: A one-sixth interest in three acres of land bought by F. M. Brewster of Mrs. M. Ragland, executrix, and S. R. Ragland, executor, of N. Ragland, deceased, which said deed is on record in the Register's office of Shelby county, in book 54, part second, pages 29, 30 and 31, and is therein described as lot No. 5, and the interest therein conveyed, is the same conveyed by F. M. Brewster to Thomas J. Reasonover on the 26th of March, 1867, which deed is recorded in book No. 60, part first, pages 456 and 457, May 11, 1867, and to which reference is made for description of metes and bounds. The equity of redemption is waived; the title believed to be good, but I convey only as Trustee.

april JOHN R. REASONOVER, Trustee.

Attachment Notice.

R. A. Pruden vs. J. C. Gay. Before Michael Foley, J. P.

THE defendant in the above entitled cause will take notice that an attachment has been sued out against him, upon the grounds that he is a non-resident of the State of Tennessee, and returned by the proper officer, levied, etc.; and that the case is set for hearing at my office in the city of Memphis, on the 18th day of May, 1868, at ten o'clock a.m., when and where he can appear and defend said action, or else the case will be proceeded with ex parte; and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four weeks in the Memphis Daily Avalanche.

apr17 MICHAEL FOLEY, J. P.

Creditor's Notice.

No. 2435—N. R. D.—In the Chancery Court of Memphis—W. N. Wilkerson et al., vs. the Franklin Insurance Banking Company et al.

IN this cause, upon motion and in conformity to the prayer of the bill, it is ordered by the Court that all persons claiming to be creditors of or having any character of demands against the "Franklin Insurance and Banking Company of Memphis, shall immediately come into this Court and have themselves made parties to this suit, and file their claims with the Clerk and Master, with proper evidence of the same, that they may severally receive their ratable share of the assets of said Company, to be distributed in this cause; and that a copy of this order be published in the Memphis Daily Appeal and Avalanche for three (3) months from this date. March 21, 1868.

A copy—Attest. AUGUSTON ALSTON,
By R. J. BLACK, Deputy C. & M. Clerk and Master.
ESTES, JACKSON, McDAVITT and E. BURKE PICKETT, Sols.
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Notice in Bankruptcy.

United States of America, Western District of Tennessee, } ss.

THIS is to give notice that on the 24th day of April, A. D., 1868, a Warrant in Bankruptcy was issued against the estate of

J. J. COHN,

of Memphis, in the county of Shelby and State of Tennessee who has been adjudged a Bankrupt, on his own petition; that the payment of any debts, and delivery of any property belonging to such bankrupt, to him, or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him, are forbidden by law; That a meeting of the creditors of the said bankrupt, to prove their debts, and to choose one or more assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy, to be holden at No. 450 Main street, in Waldran block, Memphis, Tennessee, before Thomas J. Latham, Esq., Register, on 11th day of May, A. D., 1868, at 10 o'clock a.m. Memphis, Tennessee, 24th day of April, A. D., 1868.

J. M. TOMENEY,
United States Marshal, as Messenger.
By J. B. BINGHAM, Western District of Tennessee.
Deputy United States Marshal, as Messenger. apr25

Notice in Bankruptcy.

United States of America, Western District of Tennessee, } ss.

THIS is to give notice that on the 24th day of April, A. D., 1868, a Warrant in Bankruptcy was issued against the estate of

ANDREW HAIGHT,

of ——, in the county of Shelby and State of Tennessee, who has been adjudged a bankrupt, on his own petition; that the payment of any debts, and delivery of any property belonging to such bankrupt, to him, or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him, are forbidden by law; that a meeting of the creditors of the said bankrupt, to prove their debts, and to choose one or more assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy, to be holden at No. 450 Main street, in Waldran Block, Memphis, Tennessee, before Thomas J. Latham, Esq., Register, on the 11th day of May, A. D., 1868, at 10 o'clock a.m. Memphis, Tennessee, 24th day of April, A. D. 1868.

J. M. TOMENEY,
United States Marshal, as Messenger,
By J. B. BINGHAM, Western District of Tennessee.
Deputy United States Marshal, as Messenger. apr25

LEGAL.

Attachment Notice.

William Vesey and I. T. Cartwright, partners in trade, firm name and style of Vesey & Cartwright, vs. B. Cuneo.

AFFIDAVIT for attachment having been made in this case in pursuance of section 3455 of the Code of Tennessee, and attachment having been issued and returned by the proper officer "levied," etc., on the property of the defendant, B. Cuneo; it is therefore ordered, that said defendant appear at my office, in the city of Memphis, Tenn., on or before the 29th day of May, at ten o'clock a.m., and defend this suit, or the same will be taken for confessed as to him and the case set for hearing ex parte; and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four consecutive weeks in the Memphis Avalanche.

apr25 JAMES HALL, J. P.

Attachment Notice.

O. Woolridge, M. Woolridge and A. J. Pollack, partners in trade, firm name of Woolridge & Co., vs. Mrs. D. F. Lorance.

AFFIDAVIT for attachment having been made in this case in pursuance of section 3455 of the Code of Tennessee, and attachment having been issued and returned by the proper officer "levied, etc.," on the property of the defendant, Mrs. D. F. Lorance; it is therefore ordered, that said defendant appear at my office, in the city of Memphis, Tenn., on or before the 29th day of May, 1868, at ten o'clock a.m., and defend this suit, or the same will be taken for confessed as to her and the case set for hearing ex parte, and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four consecutive weeks in the Memphis Avalanche.

apr25 JAMES HALL, J. P.

Attachment Notice.

J. C. Holst, G. H. Holst and T. W. Holst, partners in trade, firm name of J. C. Holst & Co., vs. Mrs. D. F. Lorance as administratrix of D. E. Lorance, deceased.

AFFIDAVIT for attachment having been made in this case in pursuance of section 3455 of the Code of Tennessee, and attachment having been issued and returned by the proper officer, "levied," etc., on the property of the defendant, Mrs. D. F. Lorance; it is therefore ordered, that said defendant appear at my office, in the city of Memphis, Tenn., on or before the 29th day of May, 1868, at ten o'clock a.m., and defend this suit, or the same will be taken for confessed as to her and the case set for hearing ex parte, and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four consecutive weeks in the Memphis Avalanche.

apr25 JAMES HALL, J. P.

Notice in Bankruptcy.

United States of America, Western District of Tennessee, } ss.

THIS is to give notice that on the 24th day of April, A. D. 1868, a Warrant in Bankruptcy was issued against the estate of

H. L. GUION,

of Memphis, in the county of Shelby, and State of Tennessee, who has been adjudged a bankrupt on his own petition; that the payment of any debts, and delivery of any property belonging to such bankrupt, to him, or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him, are forbidden by law; that a meeting of the creditors of the said bankrupt, to prove their debts, and to choose one or more assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy, to be holden at No. 450 Main street, in Waldran block, Memphis, Tennessee, before Thomas J. Latham, Esq., Register, on the 13th day of May, A. D. 1868, at ten o'clock, a.m. Memphis, Tennessee, 24th day of April, A. D., 1868.

J. M. TOMENY,
United States Marshal, as Messenger
By J. B. BINGHAM, Western District of Tennessee.
Deputy United States Marshal, as Messenger. apr25

Administratrix's Settlement in County Court of Shelby County.

To the Heirs and Creditors of Daniel Moriarty, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that I have filed my settlement of the estate of Daniel Moriarty, deceased, with the Clerk of said Court, and that I will apply for confirmation of said settlement at the May term, 1868, of said Court, to be held on the first Monday of said month in the Court House in the city of Memphis.

Filed April 7, 1868. MARY MORIARTY, Administratrix.
Printer paid $5 00. apr9

Notice in Bankruptcy.

United States of America, Western District of Tennessee, } ss.

THIS is to give notice that on the 24th day of April, A. D., 1868, a Warrant in Bankruptcy was issued against the estate of

JOHN C. ROGERS,

of Memphis, in the county of Shelby, and State of Tennessee, who has been adjudged a bankrupt, on his own petition; that the payment of any debts, and delivery of any property belonging to such bankrupt, to him, or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him, are forbidden by law; that a meeting of the creditors of the said Bankrupt, to prove their debts, and to choose one or more assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy, to be holden at No. 450 Main street, in Waldran block, Memphis, Tennessee, before Thomas J. Latham, Esq., Register, on the 12th day of May, A. D. 1868, at 10 o'clock, a.m. Memphis, Tennessee, 24th day of April, A. D., 1868.

J. M. TOMENY,
U. S. Marshal, as Messenger, Western District of Tenn.
By J. B. BINGHAM,
Deputy U. S. Marshal, as Messenger. apr25

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Tax Ordinance.

CITY TAX.

BE it ordained, etc., That the City tax on all property assessed for the Forty-first Corporate Year, shall be and is hereby made as follows: One dollar and ten cents on every one hundred dollars worth of taxable property, for the purpose of defraying the expenses necessarily incurred in administering the affairs of the city; fifty cents on every one hundred dollars worth of property, for the purpose of paying the interest on the past due indebtedness of the city; and twenty cents on every one hundred dollars worth of property, for the purpose of defraying the expenses necessarily incurred in carrying on the City schools.

Approved April 13, 1868.

E. McDAVITT, Mayor pro tem.
Attest—L. R. RICHARDS, City Register. april4

Tax Payers Notice.

THE assessment of the Ninth and Tenth Wards has been made by the City Tax Assessors. The books, showing the valuation and names of owners of each lot, will be open for inspection and correction at the Mayor's Office, Exchange Building, through the next ten days. We would have property owners in these two new wards call and see that mistakes as to ownership are corrected.

JOHN PARK,
L. J. DUPRE,
mh27 J. McPROVINE.

Sanitary Ordinance.

WHEREAS, it is important to prevent the visitation of epidemic diseases to the city, and as the accumulation of filth of any kind in and around the premises of the inhabitants of the city is likely to endanger the health of the community; therefore,

Be it ordained by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Memphis:

SECTION 1. That no occupant of any building or premises in the city of Memphis shall permit the accumulation of any filth, garbage, or noxious substances upon said premises, but shall have the same removed at their expense.

SEC. 2. Said occupants shall not throw, or put into any street, public or private alley, any filth, garbage, or other noxious substances, or permit the same to flow from their premises.

SEC. 3. It shall be the duty of the Sanitary Police, or any other member of the Police Force, to see that the above sections, one and two, are not violated; and if any filth, garbage, or other noxious substance is found in and around said premises, or near the same, in any street or alley, said occupant shall be required to remove the same within twenty-four hours; and in default thereof, said occupant shall be fined five dollars for each and every day said filth is permitted so to remain.

SEC. 4. The violation of the first and second section of this ordinance shall be deemed a misdemeanor, and on conviction shall be fined not less than five nor more than twenty-five dollars.

Passed first and final reading by a suspension of the rules.

April 13, 1868.

E. McDAVITT, Mayor pro tem.
Attest—L. R. RICHARDS, City Register. april4

Ordinance.

BE it ordained, etc., That the Sidewalk on each side of Shelby street, from Beale to South streets, be widened, so that hereafter said sidewalk shall be twelve feet; said widening to be done by the property owners, without cost to the city.

Passed first and final reading, by a suspension of the rules.
Approved April 13, 1868.

E. McDAVITT, Mayor pro tem.
Attest—L. R. RICHARDS, City Register. april4

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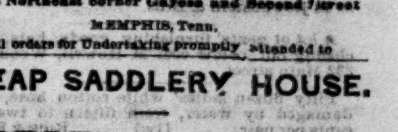

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